

Petition of
Jacob Amman

Witness
Adam Amman

Oct 28, 1845

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Jacob Amon* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Duke of Hesse*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America and within the State of

Pennsylvania one year, and that
that is to say, on *28th September 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of the Quarter*
Sessions for Allegheny County " " " " appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Duke of Hesse*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jacob Amon* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Duke of Hesse* —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848* }
W Sproule clk

Jerush Amon

Adam Amon

petitioner *Jacob Amon* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Jacob has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848* }
W Sproule clk

Oliver Lewis

Jacob Amian

Declaration Certificate

1100 hand

Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }

I, *Thomas Stanley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Saturday* the *28*th day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Sixty Four* personally came before me,

Jacob Amann a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia* *Hamburg*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* *Hamburg*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF: I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *28*th day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Sixty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Ninth*

ATTEST

Thomas Stanley Clerk.

Petition
of
James Andrews

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Vouched
John H. Phelps

Filed Oct 28 1848

(vix)

To the Honorable the Judges of the circuit Court
of the United States Western District of Pennsylvania

OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

The Petition of *James Andrews*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty-one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *James Andrews*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

James Andrews

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this ~~28~~²⁸ day of October —
A. D. 1848

W. Sprout

John H. Philips

of

do swear that *James Andrews*

the petitioner above named

upwards of five years last past that he is a

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I, *James Andrews*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

James Andrews

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this ~~20~~ 28th day of October -
A. D. 1848

W. Spraul

I, *John H. Philips*

of

do swear that *James Andrews* the petitioner above named has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this ~~22~~ 28th
day of October
A. D. 1848

W. Spraul

John H. Philips

Prothonotary.

William Arenholtz
Declaration of Intention

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *28*

day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

William Strenholtz

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Strenholtz*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Saxe-Coburg*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and

abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Duke of Saxe-Coburg

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*

day of *October*

A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sprague

Wilhelm Strenholtz

Bernard Averman
Declaration of Intentions

Filed October 28 1898

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

} ^{scd.}
day of October in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Bernard Auerman a native of Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Bernard Auerman a native of Germany do swear, that
and heretofore a subject of King of Hanover
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Hanover whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28

day of October

A. D. 1848

} Bernard Auerman

Cor.

W. Sprout

Clerk

Petition of
B. Buck
Ballyvaughan Bact.

Voucher
In. Cessors

Feb 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Balazar Baetz* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 4th day of September 1844*,
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*

Plies of Allegheny County appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Balazar Baetz* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1845* }
W. Sprague
clerk

Lathrop Lark

petitioner *Balazar Baetz* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Balazar* has resided in the
County of Allegheny

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1845* }
W. Sprague
clerk

Jacob C. Sprague

1844

B. Back

Declaration of Intention
made 4 Septemr 1844.

Has H. O. Paul

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } sct,

Back
I, *George R. Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Wednesday* the
fourth day of *September* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*.

Baltazar Back

a native of *Germany* — and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Bavaria* — came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Bavaria* — whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *4th* — day of *September* — in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*. — and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Sixty-ninth*.

ATTEST:

Geo. R. Riddle
Prothonotary

Pileon of
John Barrett

Vaucher
Stephen Barrett

Filed 28th Oct 1875

Circuit United States for the
To the Honorable the Judges of the ~~Supreme~~ Court of the Western District of
Pennsylvania.

THE Petition of

John Barrett

of

Allegheny

Humbly Sheweth,

That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and was
heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* That he was residing
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States before *the 21st June 1812*
~~1812~~ and that he has continued to reside within the same. That he will support the con-
stitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore prays that he may be ad-
mitted to become a citizen of the United States of America. *Accordingly to the Act of Congress*
passed the 24 day May AD 1824 And he will ever pray

I *John Barrett* do swear that the facts set forth in this my petition are
true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely
and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely re-
nounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in
open Court, this 28

March 1848

~~I~~ ~~and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do~~ ~~of~~ ~~that~~
~~the Petitioner above named, was residing within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the~~
~~United States before the 18th of June, 1812, and has continued to reside within the same.~~

~~and Subscribed in~~
~~open Court, this~~

John J. Barrett

I *J. Barrett* of *Allegheny*
and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do swear, that the petitioner *John Barrett*
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United
States of America *six* years, and within the state of Pennsylvania one year; that is to say,
he the said *John Barrett* resided in *Allegheny County*

which place is within and under the constitution of the United States;—and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, at-
tached to the constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and
happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in
open Court, this 28

March 1848

Stephen Barrett

Conrad Becker

Declaration of Intent

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Conrad Becker

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Conrad Becker*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Prince of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Prince of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*

day of *Oct*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sprons

Conrad

Becker

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Conrad Becker

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Conrad Duller*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Prince of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Prin of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *25*

day of *Oct*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sprunt

Conrad Duller

Thos Bell

1844

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1844

Thomas Bell

Certifying

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I,

George R. Riddle

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *23*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four* *Thomas Bell*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain and Ireland

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *23*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *69*

Hugh Riddle

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.



Petition of
Henry Busscher

Vouches
John Matthias Forker

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry Buscher* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 28th September 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Buscher* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of Oct*
1848 *H. Spaul*
clerk

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petitioner *Henry Buscher* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Henry has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of Oct*
1848 *H. Spaul*
clerk

John Matthias Finken

Henry Bussler
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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Harley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Saturday the 28th* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Henry Buscher
and heretofore a subject of the *King of Russia*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Russia*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *28th* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty ninth*

ATTEST

Thomas Harley Clerk.

Petition of John
Campbell

Vouches
J^d Fitzpatrick

Filed 28th Oct 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of John Campbell of Allegheny County -

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland -

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years - and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that Two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on 11th day of November 1844

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Supreme Court
of Guyahoga County, Ohio appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, John Campbell do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th day of Oct
1848

W. Spraul
Clerk

John Campbell
mark

petitioner John Campbell do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year, that is to say, he, the said John Campbell has resided in
Allegheny County " " " " " "

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th day of October
1848

W. Spraul
Clerk

James Fitzpatrick

John Campbell

THE STATE OF OHIO, }
CUYAHOGA COUNTY, SS. }

Be it Remembered, That on the 11th day
of November A. D. 1844, John Campbell an Alien
and Native of Ireland personally appeared before me,

AARON CLARK, Clerk of the Supreme Court, in and for said county, and **DECLARED**

on his solemn oath, that he first arrived in the United States in the month of May

A. D. 1832, and that it is his **BONA FIDE** intention to become **A CITIZEN OF THE**

UNITED STATES, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any Foreign

Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to Victoria

Queen King of Great Britain and subscribed his name to said

Declaration, which remains on file in my Office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand officially,

and affixed the Seal of said Court, at the City of Cleveland,

this 11th day of November A. D. 1844.

A. Clark Clerk.

Pelham of Patrick
Cassell

Vaucher
James Hypothek

Filed Oct 28th 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Patrick Cassel* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *13th day of October 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Plas of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*

Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Patrick Cassel* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this

Patrick Cassel
mute

petitioner
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
years, and within the State of Penn-

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this

James J. Patrick

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sct.



I, *George R. Riddle*
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *13*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty six*

Patrick Casse
a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *13*
day of *October* Anno Domini 18*46* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *71st*

Geo R Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Patience of
Edwarda Couling

Voucher
Robt Milen

Jan 28th Oct 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Edward Cowling* — of *Allegheny County*.

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* — and
was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 13th day of October 1846* —

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*

Sessions of Allegheny County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*

Ireland — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Edward Cowling* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848* }

W. Spaul
clerk

Edward Cowling

petitioner *Edward Cowling* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Edward Cowling* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848* }

W. Spaul
clerk

Robert Mitchell

E. Cowling
Certificate
of
Declaration

Sec \$1.00 P.D.

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sect.

I, *John Young Jr* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Monday* the *12* day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty six* — personally came before me,

Edward Coeling — a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *twelfth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty six* and of the Independence of the United States, the *seventy first*

ATTEST

John Young Jr Clerk.

Petition
of
Benjamin Davis

Wm Jones Boucher

Filed 28th Oct 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Benjamin Davis*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Wales*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *B. Davis*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 28 day of *October*
A. D. 1848

W. Spaul
clerk

Benjamin Davis

I, *John Jones*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Benjamin Davis* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 28
day of *October*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spaul
clerk

John Jones
make

James Irvine
Declaration of
Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty-eight*

James Divine a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *James Divine* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

Cor.

H. Spraul
Clerk

James Divine

Petition
of
Francis Drew

Voucher
Loring Holl

Filed 28 Oct 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Francis Brew of Allegheny

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on 26 August 1844

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the court of common
pleas Centre county Pennsylvania appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Francis Brew do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 day of Oct
A.D. 1848 W. Spauld
Clerk

Francis Brew

petitioner Francis Brew do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Francis Brew has

resided in Allegheny county

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 day of Oct
A.D. 1848 W. Spauld
Clerk

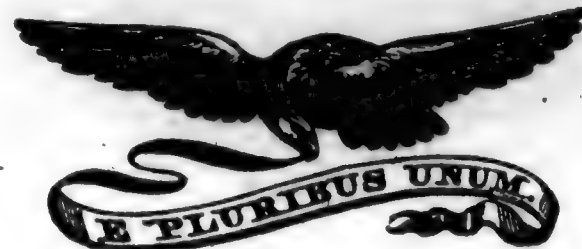
Lawrence Ford

Certificate of
Prima, Owen's
Declaration of Intention
for

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

PENNSYLVANIA,

CENTRE COUNTY, SS:



At a Court of Common Pleas holden in Bellefonte, in and for Centre county, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the ~~26~~²⁶th day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four*, on the Petition of *Francis Drew* an alien, and a native of *Galway, Ireland*

being presented and read, signifying his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States agreeably to the provisions of the acts of Congress in such cases made and provided, he, the said *Francis Drew*, having in open Court, taken and subscribed the oath according to law, was permitted to file his said petition, declaration of intention, registry, and report accordingly, and the same are so filed and registered.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, *Charles Carpenter*, Prothonotary of said Court, have hereunto set my hand and seal at BELLEFONTE the same day.

James M. Bell

Charles Carpenter Prothonotary.
per J. Hoffman Secy

Petition of
John Daros

Wash
James M. Cook

Filed 28th October
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of John Duros of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland — and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland —

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years — prior to this application,
that is to say, on the 11th Oct 1845

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, John Duros —

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 October 1845

W. Spruill
Clerk

John Duros

J. Y. McLeod

petitioner John Duros — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

John has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 October 1845

W. Spruill
Clerk

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Francis M. Castle
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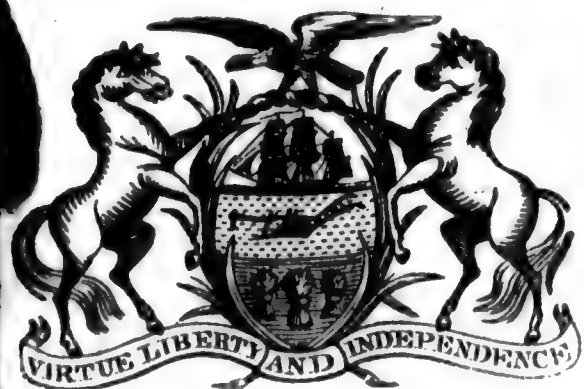
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Certificate of
Declaration of Int

Feb 11 1845



The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I,

George R. Riddle

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *11th*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *seventy five*.

John Suors

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *11th*
day of *October* Anno Domini 18*45* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *7th*.

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of
William Veskrafts
D. Veskrafts

Wescher
~~Wescher~~
J. G. Veskrafts

Filed 28 Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *William Vephaft* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Princ of Hesse*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of the Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Princ of Hesse*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *William Vephaft* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Princ of Hesse*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 day of Oct 1848
H. Spraul

Mark of
William Dippelshoeft

petitioner *William Vephaft* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *William has resided in Allegheny*
County

J. G. Backefer do swear, that the

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 day of Oct 1848
H. Spraul
clerk

J. G. Backefer

William Vephasto's
Declaration Certificate

Nicholas Hill

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Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Monday* the *17th* day of *June*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

William Beshaft a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Wesse Castle*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Wesse Castle*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *17th* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

John of Steel

Boucher

Francis Muller

Feb 28th October 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Niel Denny* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 24th day of April 1842*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Centre County, Pa.* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen &c*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Niel Denny* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of Oct*
1848 *16* *Special Clerk*

his
Niel Denny

I *Francis Muller* do swear, that the
petitioner *Niel Denny* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Niel has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 Oct 1848*
16 *Special Clerk*

Francis Muller

April Term 1895

Neil Deeny

Certificate of his
Declaration of
intention to become
a citizen of the
United States



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

PENNSYLVANIA,

CENTRE COUNTY, SS:



At a Court of Common Pleas holden in Bellefonte, in and for Centre county, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the *24th* day of *April* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *fifty three*, on the Petition of *Neil Henry* — an alien, and a native of *Ireland* —

being presented and read, signifying his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States agreeably to the provisions of the acts of Congress in such cases made and provided, he, the said *Neil Henry* —, having in open Court, taken and subscribed the oath according to law, was permitted to file his said petition, declaration of intention, registry, and report accordingly, and the same are so filed and registered.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, *Charles Carpenter* —, Prothonotary of said Court, have hereunto set my hand and seal at BELLEFONTE the same day.

For Charles Carpenter Prothonotary.
W. H. H. H.

Petition of
Henry Eckart

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Filed October 28th
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry Eckert* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* — and
was heretofore a subject of the *Duke of Baden* —

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *five years* — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *19th day of September* —
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *County of Allegheny*
Plus of Baden County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Duke of Baden* —
— — — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Eckert* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Duke of Baden* —
— — — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848* }

Henri Eckert

petitioner *Henry Eckert* — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Eckert has resided in Allegheny*
County — — — — —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848* }

Jacob Eckert

H. Spruells
Clerk

State of Pennsylvania, }
BEAVER COUNTY. } act.

I, *Milton Seivance* Prothonotary
of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for said coun-
ty, do by these presents certify, that on the 19th day of
Sept in the year, A. D. 1843 personally
came before me *Henry Eckert* a native
of the Duchy of *Becken* and heretofore a subject of the

Duchy of Becken And having been duly sworn
according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was bona fide his intention
to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all alle-
giance and fidelity to any Foreign prince, potentate, State or Sovereignty what-
ever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the
Duchy of Becken whereof he was a former subject.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of
the said Court, at Beaver, this 19th day of *Sept* in the year A. D.
1843 and of the Independence of the United States, the 67.

Attest:

Milton Seivance

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Petition of
Francis England

Voucher -
Andrew Goble

October 28th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Francis England* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *31st August 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Prothonotary*
Court of Common Pleas Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Francis England* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848*

W. Spaul } *Francis England*
Clk } *Andrew Goble*
petitioner *Francis England* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

England has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848*

W. Spaul } *Andrew Goble*
Clk }

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I,

George R. Reville

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *31*
day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four* *Francis Englands*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

King of Prussia
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *31*
day of *August* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *169*

Geo R Reville

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of Joseph
Erni

Voucher
Jacob Ellusser

Filed 28 Oct 1848
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Joseph Eni* — — — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* — — — and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of France*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — — — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — — — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *5 day of Nov: 1842* — — —

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny county* — — — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Joseph Eni* — — — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France* — — —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *day of Oct 1842* }
H. Spruill
Clerk

Joseph Eni

petitioner *Joseph Eni* — — — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Joseph has resided in Allegheny*
County — — —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

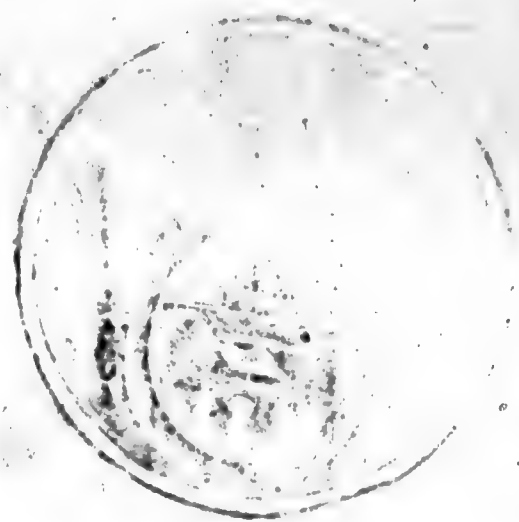
Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *day of Oct 1842* }
H. Spruill
Clerk

Joseph Eni

1842.

Joseph Covi

Certificate of Declaration of Intention
made 5th Novem^r 1842
A. Sittenberg



Fees \$1.00 paid

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } sct,

I, *Alfred Sutton*

PROTHONOTARY of the

Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Saturday* the
fifth day of *November* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*two*

Joseph Ami

a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of France* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of France* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *5th* day of *November* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*two*. and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Seventh*.

ATTEST:

Jacob Ellerman

A. Sutton Pro

Petition of
Peter Hornop

Wuehu
Nicholas Routh
under age

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Peter Gannof* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Peter Gannof* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany* _____ whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 24th Oct 1846

W. Spruick
Clerk

Peter Gannof

I, *Nicholas Routh* _____ of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Peter Gannof* _____ the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of *October*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spruick
Clerk

Nicholas Routh

Nicholas Gauth
Declaration of Intention

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Nicholas Fauch -

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Nicholas Fauch*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28

day of October

A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spruel

Nicholas Fauch

Maloby Fitzpatrick
Declaration of Intention

Filed Oct. 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Maleky Fitzpatrick a native of Ireland
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, Maleky Fitzpatrick a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of Queen of Great Britain Ireland do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. C. Sproul
Clerk

John H. Fitzpatrick

Mathias Prosten's
Declarations of
Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} ^{sct.}

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Matthias Foster

a native of *Switzerland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Matthias Foster* a native of *Switzerland*
and heretofore a subject of *Government of Switzerland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Government of Switzerland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*

day of *October* *A. D. 1848*

Cor.

W. Sprunt Clerk

Matthias Foster

John Henry Freeman

Declaration of Intentions

Y.
Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Henry Freimann a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Henry Freimann* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Hanover* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Hanover whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848

} *John Henry Freimann*

Cor.

W. Sproul
Clerk

Henry Gausman
Declaration of Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Henry Gausmann a native of Germany
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, Henry Gausmann a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of King of Hanover do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Hanover whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848

} Heinrich Gausmann.

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clk.

Francis M. Cronen
Petition

Cronenville

Proctor

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Francis Martin Krausz* of *Greengardenville*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *5 Years & upwards* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *2 Years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 7th day February 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then *Clerk of the County of Allegheny*

John Allen of Maurer Co. Pa. appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Francis Martin Krausz* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1844* }

do swear, that the
petitioner *Francis Martin Krausz* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *5* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Francis Martin Krausz
has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1844* }

John Doyle Esq.
Chairman of Natl Com.
Pittsburgh
Penn.

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In pursuance of the Acts of Congress in such cases made and provided, Martin Grauzer ~~a native~~ a free white person and an alien friend desirous of being naturalized makes report and registry of himself as follows:

Name	Birth place	Age	Nation	Allegiance
Martin Grauzer	Germany	34 years	Germany	Kingdom of Prussia

Whence he emigrated from town of Weiden in Germany	Time of arrival U.S.	Intended place of settlement
	20 th of September 1839	Township of Prussia Monroe County Pennsylvania

To the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Monroe County, Stroudsbury 1844.
Monroe County Pa.

Martin Grauzer being duly sworn in open Court, doth depose and say that it is true and his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty and particularly to the King of Prussia of whom is now a subject.

(Signed in German) Martin Grauzer

Sworn & Subscribed in open Court of Common Pleas held in the borough of Stroudsbury in and for the County of Monroe the Tenth day of February 1844

Attest
J. H. Stroud, Prothy

Filed Feb 7. 1844
Barren, atty

Stephen Grouthwin
Declaration
of
Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Stephen Southwin a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Stephen Southwin* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
King of Byron whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruill Clerk

} *Stephen Southwin*

John Hanlin
Declaration
of
Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eighth* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Hanlin a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I *John Hanlin* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*

day of *October* A. D. 18*48*

} *John Hanlin*

Cor.

W. Sprung

George Hausenfordy

Voucher Leonard Straub

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *George Hausenfunders* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of France*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *10 May 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Quarter
sessions of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of France*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Hausenfunders* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of*

October *1848*

H. Spaul, Clerk

I Leonard Strub

petitioner *Geo. Hausenfunders* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of Oct-*
1848

*H. Spaul
Clerk*

Leonard Strub

George Mason's

Declaration Certificate

(81.00 paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Saturday* the *18th* day of *May*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

George Masurpden a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of the *King* of *France*,
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King* of *France* —
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *Eighteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry Hopstine* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* — and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Hanover* —
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 4th day of July 1845* —
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of the*
the U States W D Pa — appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hanover* —
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Hopstine* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Hanover* —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th Oct 1848 }

H. Sprout
clerk

Henri H. Bockroo

petitioner *Henry Hopstine* — I *Timothy M. Cartney* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Henry Hopstine has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th Oct 1848 }

H. Sprout
clerk

Timothy M. Cartney
mark

*Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of
Henry H. H. H.*

July 27th 1845.

*Emigration Certificate. I have heretofore set
and affixed the seal of the said Court of the City of New York
and of the Judge of the said Court.*

Emigration Certificate.

*Whereof he was heretofore a subject.
I have heretofore set and affixed the seal of the said Court of the City of New York
and of the Judge of the said Court.*

*As witness my hand and seal of the said Court of the City of New York
this 27th day of July 1845.*

Emigration Certificate.

Emigration Certificate.

Emigration Certificate.

Emigration Certificate.

Emigration Certificate.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Sevenths — day of *July* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
five - Henry Hofstee —
a native of *Germany* — came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~Queen of Great Britain~~
~~and Ireland~~, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Sevenths* — day of *July* — **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty-five and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the *Sevenths*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Agent William

Vancouver

John Kesser

Filed Oct 28 1848

(rip)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of

Jacob Holtz

of

Birmingham

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of
was heretofore a subject of the

King of Prussia

and

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *5 Years & upward,* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *2 Years & upward,* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 4 day of February 1841*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Quarter Session*

of Allegheny County

appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore

prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I,

Jacob Holtz

do swear that the facts set forth in this

my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the

King of Prussia
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 Oct 1841*

W. Sprout

Jacob Holtz

petitioner *Jacob Holtz*
jurisdiction of the United States of America *5*
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
years, and within the State of Penn-

Jacob Holtz has resided

in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 Oct 1841*

W. Sprout
clerk

John C. Sasser

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } sct.

I, *Sutton* Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania, do by these presents certify, that on *Thur*
Saturday the *4th* day of *February*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty one*

Jacob Hollstein
a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Prussia* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, poten-
tate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all
allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the
said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *fourth* day of *February* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty one*
and of the Independence of the United States, the *sixty fifth*

Attest,

Sutton Prothonotary

Peter Horn

Declarations of Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *28th*

day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Peter Horn

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Horn*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Prussia of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*

day of *October*

A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

H. Spruiell
Clerk

Peter Horn

Petition of
Michael Hunkler

Voucher

Joseph Sharp

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Hunkler* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of France*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 14 day of August 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Hunkler* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28* Oct. 1848
H. Spraul, Clerk

Michael Hunkler

petitioner *Michael Hunkler* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Michael has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28* Oct. 1848
H. Spraul, Clerk

Joseph J. J. J.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY. }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } sct.

I *George R. Riddle* Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania, do by these presents certify, that on
Saturday the *17* day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four* *Michael Hunkler*

a subject of the *King of the French* a native of *France* and heretofore
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, poten-
tate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all
allegiance and fidelity to the *King of the French*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the
said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *17* day of *August* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four*
and of the Independence of the United States, the

Attest,

Geo R. Riddle Jr

Religion of Henry
Opelman

Voucher

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry Opreman* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Electoral of Hesse*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *7th day of September 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Electoral of Hesse*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Opreman* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Electoral of Hesse*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of October*
1848 *H. Spraul*
Clerk

Henry Opreman

petitioner *Henry Opreman* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *H. Opreman* has resided in *Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of Oct 1848*
H. Spraul
Clerk

J. G. Lawrence

Henry O'Perman

Certificate

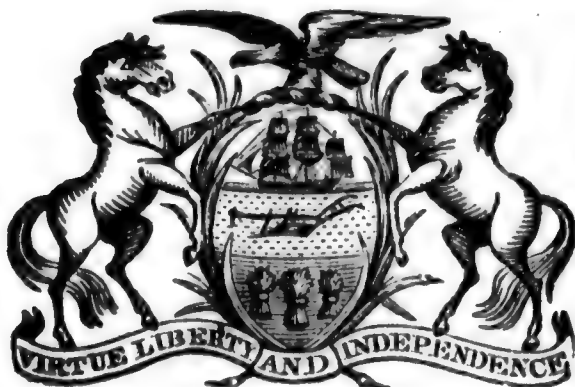
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Declarations

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THEATRE - CANTON

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify that on *Saturday* the
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four*

a native of *Germany*

Henry Hoffman
and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Electors of Hesse
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Electors of Hesse*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this
day of *September* Anno Domini *1844* and
of the Independence of the United States the *19th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

David Garrison

Thos. Horns Pouches

Feb 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{Current} District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of

of

David Samuels
James J. (late Samuels)
Ireland
Britain & Ireland

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *3^d*
day of *October* A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clk of the Co.*
of the U.S. for the Western District of Pa. appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, *David Samuels* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen*
of Great Britain & Ireland of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *28* day of *October* A. D. 18*46*

David Samuels

I, *Thomas Thornburg* do swear, that the Petitioner *David Samuels*
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *David Samuels*
resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *20* day of *October* A. D. 18*46*

Thomas Thornburg

1. The Director shall have the honor to inform the Board of the results of the investigation conducted by the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs, in the case of the late Mr. John S. Galt, who was killed by the Indians of the Flathead Reservation, Montana, on the 10th day of August, 1890.

UNITED STATES

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UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania, } 188.

I, *A. A. Hurin* Clerk of the District Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the

third day of *October* —

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Six before the Clerk of the said Court,

David Jamison —

a native of *Ireland* — came and declared his
intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States,
and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *third* **day of** *October* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty *Six* **and of the Independence**
of the United States the ~~*sixty*~~ *Seventy first*

A. A. Hurin Clerk.

Petition of W. Kettus

Vouches W. R. R. R.
The Gillette

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *H. Hatters* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Russia* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Russia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *22nd day of August 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of this*

County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Russia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *H. Hatters* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Russia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th* *October* 1848 }
H. Spraul
Clerk

petitioner *H. Hatters* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

H. Hatters has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th* *Oct* 1848 }
H. Spraul
Clerk

W. J. M.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edm. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twenty second day of *August* —

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *H. Hatters* —

a native of *Russia* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~Queen of Great Britain~~
King of Russia and ~~Ireland~~, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twenty second* day of *August* — A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*six* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-*first*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Thos Gillaspie

Anthony Kelling

Voucher
Henry Bigler

Filed 28th October
1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Pétition of *Anthony Kelling* of *Lawrence*
Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of the French*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 30th day of November 1843*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Anthony Kelling* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of*
October 1844
W. Sprague
Clerk

Anthony Kelling

petitioner *Anthony Kelling* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Kelling* has resided in *Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of*
October 1844
W. Sprague
Clerk

James H. L. L.

Andrew Kelling's
Declaration
Certificate

(\$100 paid)

Allegheny County, }
State of Pennsylvania, } **Sct.**

I *Thomas Harley* Clerk
of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and
for the County of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Thursday*
the *30th* day of *November* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Three* personally
came before me, *Andrew Kelling*
a native of *France* and heretofore a subject of the
King of France and having been duly sworn according to
law, made his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the
United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all alle-
giance and fidelity to the *King of France* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *30th* day of *November* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Three* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*.

ATTEST,

Thomas Harley
Clerk.

I. Albert Hermsfelbrink

Declaration of Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

J. Albert Kruisfelbrink a native of Holland
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, J. Albert Kruisfelbrink a native of Holland
and heretofore a subject of King of Holland do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Holland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spraul

J. Albert Kruisfelbrink

Petition of
Martin Lutz
von cher
Joseph Gammann

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Martin Lutz* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *three years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 5 day of October A.D. 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Allegheny County appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Martin Lutz* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of*
October A.D. 1848

Martin Lutz

Joseph Zimmerman

petitioner do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Martin Lutz* has

Resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of Oct*
A.D. 1848

Joseph Zimmerman

Joseph Zimmerman

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.



I,

Prothonotary of the COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on

the 5th day of October —

in the year of our Lord one

thousand eight hundred and forty four, Martin Lutz

a native of Germany

and heretofore a subject of the King of Bavaria came before me, and having

King of Bavaria

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Bavaria whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this 1st day of November — Anno Domini 1848 and of the Independence of the United States the Seventy third

Hiram Hultz

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of Wm M Cole

Vouches

James M Cole

Filed 28th October 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Wm M Cole* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *five years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 1st day of January A.D. 1846*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Common Pleas*
of the County of Dauphin appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
& Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *William M Cole*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 day of Oct 1848*
W M Cole
Clk

William M Cole

petitioner *Wm M Cole*
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Wm M Cole has residence in Allegheny County

James M Cole do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28 Oct 1848*

W M Cole
Note

28. Oct *W M Cole*
Clk

Dauphin County, ss.

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA;

I, *William D. Boas* Prothonotary of the court of
Common Pleas in and for said county, DO CERTIFY, that
on the *first* day of *January* A. D. 184*6*
William McCabe
a native of *the county of Kings and the*
Kingdom of Ireland

declared, on oath, before me, That it is, *bona fide*, his intention to become a citizen of the
United States; and to renounce, forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince,
Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *Victoria, Queen*
of Great Britain and Ireland

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and the seal of the
said Court, the *first* day of *January* in the year of our Lord one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*six*

James McCabe

W. D. Boas

Prothonotary.

James McGovern

Declaration of Intention

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *28* ——— day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

James M^cGovern a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *James M^cGovern* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

James M^cGovern

Cor.

Tithe of
George May

Worship
Arch^d McLees

Filed Oct 28 1848

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To the Honorable the Judges of the ^{Circuit} ~~Supreme~~ Court of the ^{United States for the} Western District of Pennsylvania.

THE Petition of *George May* of *Mifflin Township*

Humbly Sheweth,

That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*. That he was residing within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States ~~before the 18th of June, 1812~~ ^{the year previous to his arrival at the age of 21} and that he has continued to reside within the same. That he will support the constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America. *agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th day of May A.D. 1824 And he will ever pray &c*

I *George May* do swear that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court, this 28th of

Aug. 1848

W. Sprule George May

and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do swear that the petitioner above named was residing within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States before the 18th of June, 1812, and has continued to reside within the same.

and Subscribed in open Court, this

I *Andrew M. Lewis* of and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do swear, that the petitioner *George May* has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the state of Pennsylvania one year; that is to say, he the said *George May* resided in *Allegheny County*

which place is within and under the constitution of the United States;—and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court, this 28th of

Sept. 1848

W. Sprule

Archd. M. Lewis

Petition of Michael
Yessner

Vaucher

Filed 28th October 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Hlesner* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *12th day of October 1846*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Plas of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Hlesner* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of Oct-*
1848 *W. H. Spaul*

Michael Hlesner

do swear, that the
petitioner *Michael Hlesner* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael Hlesner* resided in

Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of Oct*
1848 *W. H. Spaul*

Wm. Young

Michael Kallner

no part of the property that on
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liberty to any foreign prince, prince
whenever and particularly known
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whereof he was a former subject

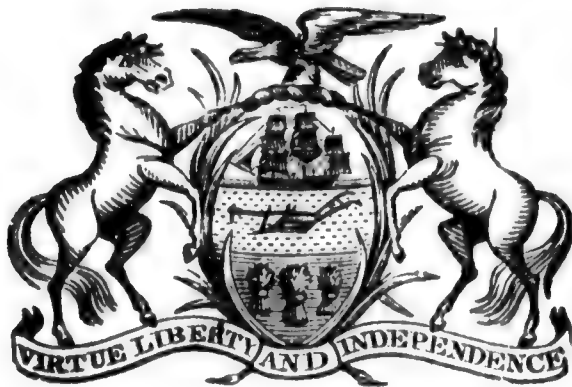
of the independence of the United States

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
Sct.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Geo. R. Riddle



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *13*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty six*, *Michael Kanner*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

King of Prussia
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *13*
day of *October* Anno Domini 1846 and
of the Independence of the United States the *71*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Paid to John
Nicholas Miller

Voucher
J^r Wallenmyer

Given 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of John Nicholas Miller of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Germany and
was heretofore a subject of the King of Prussia

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Quarter Sessions
of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the King of Prussia

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, John N. Miller do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Prussia
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this day of Oct
1848

W. Spruill
Clerk

John Nicholas Miller

petitioner J. N. Miller do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Miller has resided in Alle-
gheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this day of Oct
1848

W. Spruill
Clerk

John N. Miller

John Nicholas M^{rs}u
Declaration Certificate

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Harley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Saturday the 28th day of September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

John Richard Miller a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of the *King of Bayern*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bayern*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *28th* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty ninth*

ATTEST

Thomas Harley Clerk:

Morgan Morgand
Declaration of Intention

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

day of Oct

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Morgan Morgans a native of *Wales*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Morgan Morgans* a native of *Wales*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

H. Spruell
Clerk

Morgan Morgans
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mark

Richard Morgan
Declaration of
Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord ~~one~~ thousand eight hundred and *forty-eight*

Richard Morgan a native of *Wales*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Richard Morgan* a native of *Wales*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Queen of Great Britain &c Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28th*
day of *October* A. D. 18*48*

} *Richard Morgan*

Cor.

W. Spruill, Clerk

Petition of
A. Newman Jr

for a share

Adm Newman

Filed Oct 28 1848

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To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court
of the United States, Western District of Pennsylvania

~~OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.~~

The Petition of *Adam Newman*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty-one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Adam Newman* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Prussia*
Adam Newman
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 28 day of October
A. D. 1848

W. C. Sprout

I, *Adam Newman* of *Allegheny*

do swear that *Adam Newman* the petitioner above named
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Adam Newman

Sworn and subscribed, this 28
day of October
A. D. 1848

W. C. Sprout
Clerk

Prothonotary.

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Matthias Nie

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Matthias Nie*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Baden*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Duke of Baden

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848

Cor.

Wm. H. H. H.
W. Sprout Clerk

Christopher Killumier
Declaration of Intention

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

}
sct.
day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Christopher Mulliner ... a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Christopher Mulliner* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Saxe-Coburg* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Duke of Saxe-Coburg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *twenty eight*
day of *October*

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A. D. 1848

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Christopher Mulliner

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TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE
Circuit Court of the United States for the Western
District of Penna.

OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
The Petition of *James Rees of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Wales*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *James Rees* ————— the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 28 day of *October*
A. D. 1848

W. Spruell
Clk

I, *John Barton* ————— of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *James Rees* ————— the petitioner above named
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 28th
day of *October*
Anno Domini 1848

W. Spruell
Clk

John Barton

Prothonotary.

Petition
of
Edward Riley

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

*To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.*

THE Petition of Edward Riley of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland
and was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on the 13th October 1846
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Quarter
Sessions of Allegheny County " " " " " " " " " " appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Edward Riley* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th day of Oct
1848
H. Sprout
clerk

Sworn and subscribed in open Court, this 28 day of Oct 1848
 J. Dant. Bynell
 Clerk }
 J. Dant. Bynell do swear, that the
 petitioner Edward Riley has resided within the limits and under the
 jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
 sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Edward Riley has resided
 in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28 day of Oct-
1868
Wm Spruill
Clerk

Samuel Bagnall

Edwara Riley

Certificate

of

Declaration

Filed Oct. 13/46

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sect.

I, John Young Jr Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that ~~Sunday~~ the 13th day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and ~~forty six~~ personally came before me,

Edward Riley. a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatso, and particularly renouncing and ab=
allegiance and fidelity to Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
was a former subject.

MONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh the 14th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and of the Independence of United States, the 34th year.

John Young Jr Clerk.

Baynell

*Petition of
Bernard Profferty*

Vouchers

Filed Oct 28 1848

Profferty

To, the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District of Penn

~~OF ALLEGEDLY COUNTY.~~
The Petition of *Brian Rafferty*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty-one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Brian Rafferty* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain Ireland*
Brian Rafferty

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *28* day of *October*
A. D. 184*8*

H. Sprout

I, *James Gildes* of *Allegheny*
Brian Rafferty

do swear that the petitioner above named has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
28 day of *October*
A. D. 184*8*

H. Sprout

James Gildes

Prothonotary.

John George Schneider
Declaration

of
Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John George Schneider a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, John George Schneider a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Württemberg* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of Württemberg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28

day of Oct

A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spraul

} *John George Schneider*

Petition of
George Schriber

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Given ~~at~~ Nov 28th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *George Schuler* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Government of Germany*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 21st day of September 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County* appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Schuler* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of Germany*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of October 1845*
W. Sprule
clerk

Joseph P. Schuler

I, *Mr. Michael P. Schuler* do swear, that the
petitioner *George Schuler* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

George has resided in Allegheny County

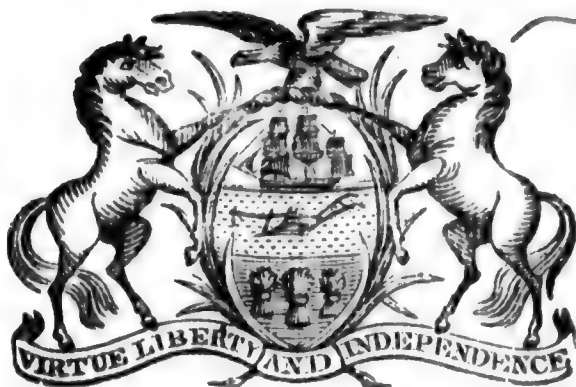
all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th day of October 1845*

Joseph P. Schuler

Mr. Michael P. Schuler

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on

day of

in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and

a native of

and heretofore a subject of the

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all alle-

giance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whenever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this

day of

Anno Domini 1844 and

of the Independence of the United States the

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George N. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Peter Schultze.
Declaration of
Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Peter Schultz a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Schultz* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Prussia of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

H. Spraul, Clerk

John Schultz

Christopher Schwan

Declaration of Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sct.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *28th* day of *October* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Christopher Schwan a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Christopher Schwan* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Baden* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Duke of Baden — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 184*8*

Christopher Schwan

Cor.

W. Sprout Clerk

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Hendrick Simmelink a native of *Holland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Hendrick Simmelink* a native of *Holland*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Holland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the King of Holland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Siborn and Subscribed this 28

day of October

A. D. 1848

Cor.

} *John Hendrick Simmelink*

W. Sprout
Clerk

William Simmelink
Declaration of Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28

day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

William Simmelink

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Simmelink* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Holland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the King of Holland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848

} *William Simmelink*

Cor.

W. Sprout

Petition of
Francis Shigle

Filed 28th Oct 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Francis Shigh* of *Germany* *Allyperry*
County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* — and
was heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Hesse*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 23rd August 1844* —

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Session of Allyperry County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prince of Hesse*

— whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Francis Shigh*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Hesse* —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848*

W. Spigels

Francis Shigh

petitioner
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
years, and within the State of Penn-

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848*

W. Spigels

Francis Shigh

Francis Slugh

to relations Certificate.

(81.00 paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }

Sct.

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Monday* the *23rd* day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

Francis Sligh a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Neussen Castle*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Neussen Castle*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *23rd* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *twenty eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

John Smith
Declaration of
Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty eight* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Smith a native of *France*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Smith* a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of *King of France* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of France whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 1848 } *Joseph Smith*

Cor.

W. Spruill

Petition of
Peter Spiker

Vouches
Ben. H. H. H.

Filed 28th Oct 1848

Wm

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Peter Spiker* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — — prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 27th of January 1845* — —
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Plas of Butler County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* — —

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Peter Spiker* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* — —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1845*
Wm Spauld

Peter Spiker

Done. Kever do swear, that the
petitioner *Peter Spiker* — — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1845*
Wm Spauld
Done

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Daniel Kever
Done

Peter Spikes,
Certificate of Intention
filed 27. Jan 1845

State of Pennsylvania, }
BUTLER COUNTY, } Sect.

I, *Jacob Muehlberg Jr*

Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said county, by
these presents certify, that on the *27th* day of *January*
in the year A. D. 18*45* personally came before me *Peter*

Spiker a native of *Germany* and
heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

And having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,

and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at Butler,
this *27th* day of *January* in the year A. D. 18*45* and of the Independence
of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

Attest:

Jacob Muehlberg Jr

Pelican of
Ralph Humes

Voucher
John Cresson

Recd 28th October
1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Joseph Thomas* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Prussia of Rhine*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 5th day of August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court*
of the U. States N. & P. appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Rhine*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Joseph Thomas* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prussia of Rhine*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th Oct 1845

W. Spaul
Clerk

petitioner *Joseph Thomas* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Joseph has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th Oct 1844

Isaac C. Clapp

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of Thomas
Thomas

The Court of the City of New York
 do hereby certify that the above
 is a true and correct copy of the
 original as the same appears from
 the records of the Court.
 In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set
 my hand and the seal of the Court
 at New York, this 10th day of
 December, 1880.

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Fifth day of *August*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four ~~*thirty*~~ *Thomas*
a native of *Germany* came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Luke D. Armstrong*
~~Queen of Great Britain~~
~~and Ireland~~, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Fifth* day of *August* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-~~*four*~~ *four* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the sixty-*Eight*

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Petition
of
David Vanecko

Vanecko
Amos J. Davis

Filed 28th Oct 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of David Vaughan — of —

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Wales and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,

that is to say, on 27th day of October
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of this
County appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, David Vaughan — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th Oct 1848 }

Wm Spraul
clerk

David Vaughan
William T Davis

petitioner David Vaughan
has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

David has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States — and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 28th Oct 1848 }

Wm Spraul
clerk

William T Davis

Certificate of Asse-
ratious of Intentions
of David Douglas,

Oct. 2nd 1844.

I, *David Douglas*, do hereby certify that

the said *David Douglas* is a native of the Kingdom of Scotland

and is of the age of *34* years, and is of the rank of *Major*

in the *British Army*, and is of the rank of *Major*

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twenty sixth day of *October* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *David Douglas* —
a native of *Wales* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twenty sixth* day of *October* — A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*six*, and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-*first*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

John Walpoort
Declaration of Intentions

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Walfoort a native of Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, John Walfoort a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of King of Holland do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Holland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October

A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Sprout
Clerk

John Walfoort

James Wallis

Petitioner

Michl. McLaughlin
(Michl.)

Filed 28th Oct 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{current} District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *James Walls* of
Pittsburg *Ireland*
Britain & Ireland
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *8* day of *November* A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prinly of the Court of Com Pleas of Alle. Coy* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Walls* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 28th day of *October* A. D. 18*44*

I, *Michael McCullough* do swear, that the Petitioner *James Walls* has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James Walls* resides in *Pittsburg* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this 28th day of *October* A. D. 18*44*

W. Spraul
clerk

James Walls

Certificate of
Declaration of Intention,

Nov 8 1844

Michael L. Sullivan

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Sct.

Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on

day of *Friday* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four*.

a native of

Ireland and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *8th*
day of *November* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *69th*,

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Filed Oct 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *28* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Peter Waring a native of *Germany France*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Waring* a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of *King of the French* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Government of France whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*
day of *October* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

Peter Waring

Joseph Wesselkamp
Declaration of Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of October in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Joseph Wesselkamp a native of Germany
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, Joseph Wesselkamp a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of King of Hanover do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Hanover — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 28
day of October A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

Joseph Wesselkamp

Petition of
John Wickman

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Augustus Kleber

Filed 28th Oct 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *John Wickman* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Electors of Hesse*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 26th day of February 1845*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the ~~Circuit Court~~ *County of Allegheny*

County of Allegheny appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prinse of Hesse*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Wickman* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prinse of Hesse* —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848*

H. Sprunt, Clerk *Bohannes Wickmann.*

Augustus Kleber do swear, that the
petitioner *John Wickman* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

John has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *28th Oct 1848*

H. Sprunt, Clerk *Augustus Kleber.*

1845

John Wickmann

Certificate of

Declaration of Int

July 25 1845

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } **Sct.**

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,



Geo. R. Riddle
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *25th*
day of *February* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty five*.

a native of

John Nickmann
and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Electors of Allegheny
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Electors of Allegheny*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *25th*
day of *February* Anno Domini 18*45* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *69th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

George Wilz
Declaration of Intentions

Filed October 28 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sct.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *28*

day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

George Welz

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *George Welz*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *28*

day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

H. Sprout

James M. Fily

Petition of
Henry Zucker

Vouches
Michael Buckhout

Filed Oct 28th 1848

Exhibit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Henri Zürcher*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany.

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Henri Zürcher* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Great Britain* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 28th day of October
A. D. 1848

Henry Zürcher
W. Spruill
clerk

I, *Michael Burkhardt* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Henry Zürcher* _____ the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 28th
day of October —

Anno Domini 1848

Michael Burkhardt
W. Spruill
clerk

Description of
John A. Bourne's garden

Filed Oct 01, 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *31st*

} *set.*
day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John A Baumgartel a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John A Baumgartel* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *31st*
day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

H Sprule
clerk

John A. Baumgartel

John W. Bradright

Filed October 30 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John W. Broadnigh*
of *Germany* Humbly sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Prussia of Hesse* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *first* day of *August*
A. D. 18 *45* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary* of the
County of Allegheny appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Hesse*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John W. Broadnigh* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

John W. Broadnigh

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

I, *J. G. Kunkler* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John W.*
Broadnigh resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

John G. Kunkler

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

John W. Brodright

Certificate of
Declaration

Aug. 1. 1845.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
Sct.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Geo. R. Riddle

Prothonotary of the

Court of Common Pleas

of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *1st*
day of *August* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty-five*

Grand Duke of

Germany

John W. Broadright
and heretofore a subject of the
same before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state, or sovereign
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Hesse*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *1st*
day of *August* Anno Domini 1845 and of
the Independence of the United States, the

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of
The State

Filed Oct 25th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirtieth*

} *scd.*
day of *October* " " " in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Bloch

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Bloch*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Prince of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30th*

day of *October* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruill

John Bloch

Declaration of
John Doyle

²
Filed Oct 30th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirtieth* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Doyle a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Doyle* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *Hungary* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30*
day of *October* A. D. 1848

} *Joseph Trumbull*

Cor.

W. Sprout
Clk

Declaration of
Francis Durkin

Filed Oct 30th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirtieth* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*.

Francis Durkane a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Francis Durkane* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30*
day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

Francis Durkane

Cor.

W. Spraul
clerk

George Duach Sr.

Filed October 30 1868

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *George Dusch*
of *France* Humbly sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *French Government* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *eleventh* day of *September*
A. D., 18 ~~44~~ your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary*
of the Court of Leon Place of Allegheny appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Dusch* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France*
France of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*5* }

George Dusch

I, *George Dusch* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *George*
Dusch resides in *Allegheny* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*5* }

Valentine Guckert

George Dunch

Certificate
of
Declaration

Sept. 11. 1844.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.



Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on

day of *September* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *sixty four* - *George Lusk*

A native of

France

King of the French

and heretofore a subject of the

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *King of the French*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *11th*

day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and of

the Independence of the United States, the *69*

Geo R Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

George Dusch Jr

Filed October 30 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } **SS.**

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *George Duck*
of *George Duck* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *George Duck* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the _____ day of _____
A. D., 18 _____ your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the _____
appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the _____
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, _____ do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the _____
_____ of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

George Duck

I, _____ do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said _____
resides in _____ all of _____
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Valentine Juckert

Michael Fisher

Filed October 30 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Michael Fisher*
of *France*
native of *Government of France*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *was about*

5 years of age when he came to the U.S. & is now
was prior to his application, that is to say, on the day of

A. D., 18 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *26 years*
of age & upwards appears; that he will

support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Fisher* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Michael Fisher

I, *Joseph Fisher* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Michael Fisher* resides in *Alleghenylle Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 1848, }

Joseph Fisher

David McWilliams

Filed October 30 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of
of *Scotland*

Daniel McWilliams
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen*
of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *26th* day of *April* A. D., 1842 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Allegheny County Court Maryland appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Dan. McWilliams* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *3^d* day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Daniel McWilliams

I, *Richd Torley* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Daniel McWilliams* resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Richard Torley

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *3^d* day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Daniel M^cW
illiams

Application
A.C. 1842.

MARYLAND,

Allegany County, to wit:

AT A COUNTY COURT, begun and held at the Court House, in the Town of Cumberland, in
and for Allegany county aforesaid, on the *third* Monday and *18th* day of
April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty two*
were present,

Thos. Hare, John Buchanan chief Judge

" " *Thomas Buchanan*

Esquire, Associate

Judge

John M. Bartlow Esq

Sheriff, and

Ara Beall Clerk

Amongst the proceedings of said Court were the following, to wit:

April 26th 1842

Daniel M. Williams — a Native of *Scotland*

appeared in open Court, and makes the following Report to

the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—That he arrived in the United States of America from

Scotland — the place of his nativity; that he
is about *24* — years of age, and intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland.

At the same time, the said *Daniel M. Williams* makes oath on the Holy
Evangelical of Almighty God, that it is *bona fide* his intention to become a Citizen of the United States
of America, and renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or
Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to

*The Queen of the
United Kingdoms of Great Brit-
ain Ireland & Scotland*

MARYLAND, ALLEGANY COUNTY, SCT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is truly taken from the Record of Proceedings
of Allegany County Court, State of Maryland.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the SEAL
of my Office, this

26th day of *April* 1842

Ara Beall Clerk

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Robert Murphy

Filed Oct 3 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *third* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord ~~one~~ thousand eight hundred and forty- *eight*

Robert Murphy — a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Robert Murphy* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *3^d*
day of *October* A. D. 184 *8*

COR.

Robert Murphy

Phillip Outshank

Filed October 30 1888

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of Phillip Metsehan
of _____
native of Germany
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

Princed of Hesse
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the Second day of September
A. D., 18 44 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the Clerk of
this Court appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Princed of Hesse
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Phillip Metsehan do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the Princed of Hesse
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 184 8 } Phillip Metsehan

I, Gottlieb Rambach do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said Phillip Metsehan resides in Allegheny Pa all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 184 8 }

Gottlieb Rambach

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *A. A. Irwin* Clerk of the District Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Second day ~~of~~ *September*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four before the Clerk of the said Court,

Phillip Mitchell
a native of *Germany* came and declared his
intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States,
and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~Queen of Great~~ *Prince of Hannover*
~~Britain and Ireland~~, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Second* day of *September* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty *four* and of the Independence
of the United States the sixty-*ninth*

A. A. Irwin Clerk.

Gottlieb

Gottlieb Bammack

1848

John O'Brien

Petition for

John Walsh, Concher.

Filed October 3 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *John O'Brien*
of *Pittsburgh*
Ireland
Britain & Ireland
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *21* day of *September* A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clk of the District Court of the U. S. for the W. D. of Penna.* — appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John O'Brien* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *3^d* day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

his
John O'Brien
mark

I, *John Walsh* do swear, that the Petitioner *John O'Brien* has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John O'Brien* resides in *Pittsburgh* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *3^d* day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

John Walsh

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention to become
a Citizen

THE STATE OF NEW YORK

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the record of the declaration of intention to become a citizen of the State of New York, as the same appears from the records of the County of New York, in the City of New York, at the City Hall, on the 1st day of January, 1881.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County of New York, at the City of New York, this 1st day of January, 1881.

County Clerk

Chief

Supervisor

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *A. A. Irwin* Clerk of the District Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Twenty first day of *September*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four before the Clerk of the said Court,
John O'Brien

a native of *Ireland* came and declared his
intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States,
and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *four* **day of** *September* **one**
thousand eight hundred and forty *four* **and of the Independence**
of the United States the sixty- *nine*

A. A. Irwin Clerk.

Acclamation of
Frederick Polke

Feb 30th A 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 30

day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Ferdinand Polke a native of *Prussia*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Ferdinand Polke*

a native of *Prussia*

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 30

day of October

A. D. 1848

} *Ferdinand Polke*

Cor.

H. Sprus

Declaration of
Adam Rechart

Filed October 30 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirtieth* day of *October*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Adam Reikart a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Adam Reikart* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Government of Germany* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30th*
day of *October* — A. D. 18 *48*

Cor.

W. Sprout
Clerk

Adam Reikart.

Declaration of
Adam Pouch

Filed Oct 30th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sct.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *30th* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Adam Roush

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Adam Roush*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Pr. of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Prince of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30*

day of *October*

A. D. 1848

}

Adam Roush

Cor.

H. Spraul
Clerk

Declaration of
Wm. Pittman

Filed Oct 30th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirtieth* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Henry Saltzman — a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Henry Saltzman* " " a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Prince of Hesse* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Prince of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30th*
day of *October* A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

Henry Saltzman

Conrad Schunger

Filed October 30 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of
of *Germany*

Conrad Schumbe
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *King*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *26th*
day of *September* A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*

of Allegheny Co Pa appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *King of Hannover* — whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, *Conrad Schumbe* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Hannover — of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *29* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8* }

Conrad Schumbe

I, *Joseph Butt* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Conrad Schumbe*
resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *31* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8* }

Joseph Butt

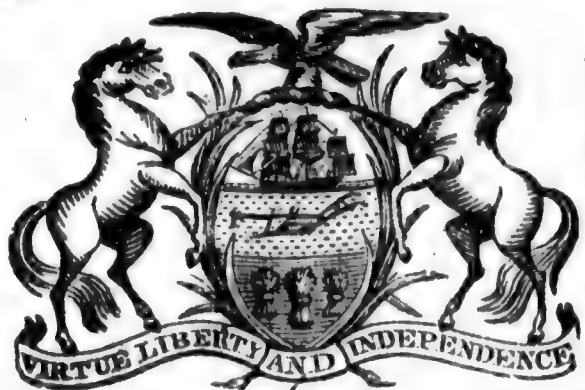
1844

Conrad Schumbe

Certificate of
Declaration

Sept 24 1844

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Set.



I, *Geo. P. Riddle*
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Thursday* the *26th*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four*.

a native of *Germany*

Conrad Schumbe
and heretofore a subject of the

King of Prussia
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *26th*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *6th*

Geo. P. Riddle
PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of
Wm. Schuck

Filed Oct 30th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 30th _____ day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Henry Schuck

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Henry Schuck*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *Prince of Hesse Cassel* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 30

day of October

A. D. 1848

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H. Schuck

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *George Schluterberg*
of *Germany* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Government of Germany* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fifth* day of *October*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Allegheny Co. Pa. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Schluterberg* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

Germany of which I was heretofore a subject.

George Schluterberg

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

I, *Henry Horn* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *George*
Schluterberg resides in *Allegheny Co. Pa.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *20th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Henry Horn

Certificate of Discharge
and of Intention of
George Scherbury

Oct 5 1844

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sct.

I, Thomas Farley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Saturday* the *fifth* day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

George Schaefer a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Government of Germany*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of Germany*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *fifth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *eighty ninth*

ATTEST

Thos Farley Clerk.

Petition of
Augustus Sanez

Filed October 30 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of
of

Augustus Lane
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he ~~has prior to his application, that is to say, on the~~ *was*

8 years of age when he came to the U. S.
day of *Nov 9* A. D., 18 *your* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the
appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of A. D. 184

} *C. L. Loring*

I, *Frank Miller* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this day of A. D. 184

} *James Miller*

Francis Savage

Filed October 3 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *third* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Francis Savage a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Francis Savage* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *33*
day of *October* A. D. 184*8*
COR.

Francis Savage

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Richard Savage

Folia Octobr 30 1828

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *third* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord ~~one~~ thousand eight hundred and forty- *eight*
Robert Savage a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Robert Savage* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *3^d*
day of *October* A. D. 184*8* } *Robert Savage*
COR.

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Petition of Andrew
Stang for naturaliza-
tion

Filed October 30th 1848.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Andrew Stang*
of *Germany of Alsace* Humbly Sheweth, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *29th* day of *June* A. D., 18*48* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny Co. Pa.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Alsace* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Andrew Stang* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prussia of Alsace* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *30th* day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

I, *Henry Fearheller* do swear, that the Petitioner *Andrew Stang* has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Andrew Stang* resides in *Allegheny Co* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *30th* day of *October* A. D. 18*48* }

Henry Fearheller

1846

Andrew Stang

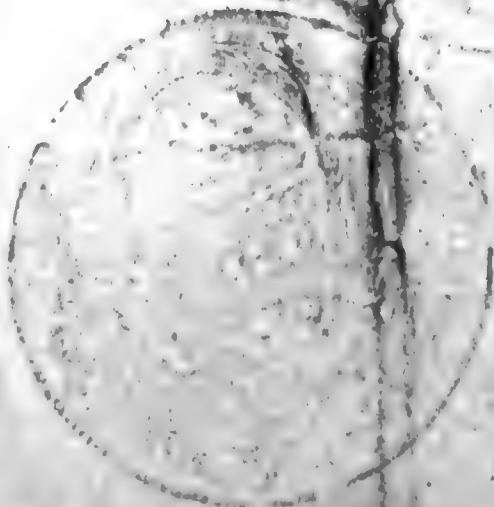
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of
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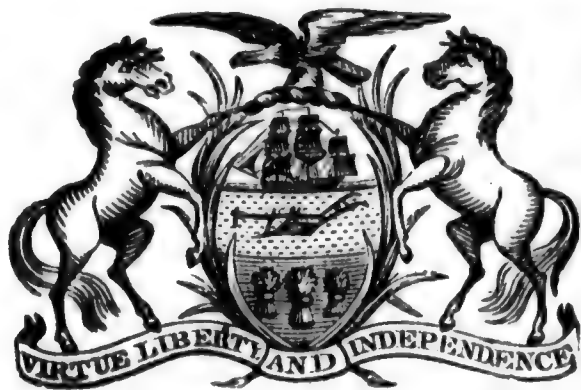
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
I, }
Sct.



I, *Geo. R. Riddle*
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *29th*
day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty six*.

Gerardus a native of *Sweden* and heretofore a subject of the
Elector of Hesse came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Elector of Hesse*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *29th*
day of *June* Anno Domini 18 *46* and
of the Independence of the United States the *7th*

Geo. R. Riddle PROTHONOTARY.

Henry Steunagel

Filed October 30 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of Henry Stearns
of Germany Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of Prussia and was heretofore a subject of the

Prussia
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the twenty fourth day of October
A. D., 18 48 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the Clerk of the Court of Doberlin appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Prussia whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Henry Stearns do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 1848 }

Henry Stearns

I, Gottlieb Bamback do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said Stearns resides in Allegheny Co Pa all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 1848 }

Gottlieb Bamback

Henry Steensma's
Declaration

Certificate



Clerk

of the Peace in and

County of Penn-

sylvania

of our Lord

(\$1.00 paid)

Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
State of Pennsylvania,

I **Thomas Garley** Clerk
of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and
for the County of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday*
the *24*th day of *October* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Three* personally
came before me, *Henry Steuernagel*
a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the

Government of Hesse Darmstadt and having been duly sworn according to
law, made his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the
United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all alle-
giance and fidelity to the *Government of Hesse Darmstadt* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *24*th day of *October* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Three* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST,

Thomas Garley Clerk.

John Weinheimer

Filed October 30 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of
of

John Weinheimer
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Prussia*

J. V. Pe
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *12th* day of *October* A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Allegheny County* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of V. Pe* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *J. Weinheimer* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prussia of V. Pe* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *3^d* day of *October* A. D. 184*8*

Joseph M. Munsie

I, *J. Weinheimer* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *J. Weinheimer* resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *3^d* day of *October* A. D. 184*8*

John D. Miller

John Weinhaus
Declarative Certificate

(100 Pals)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Yurby Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on ~~Saturday~~ the 12th day of ~~October~~
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and ~~Sixty Four~~ personally came before me;

John Weinheimer a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of the Duke of Hesse Homburg
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that,
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke Hesse Homburg
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 12th day of ~~October~~ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and ~~Sixty Four~~ and of the Independence of the United States, the ~~Sixty Ninth~~

ATTEST,

Thomas Yurby Clerk.

1878

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Filed October 30 1878

Poulin Werthe

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Poulus Werth*
of *Germany* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *King of Bavaria* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *30th* day of *December*
A. D., 18*40* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of the City of Allegheny Pa appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Poulus Werth* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *30th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Paulus Werth

I, *Giovanni Weissberger* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Poulus*
Werth resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *30th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Giovanni Weissberger

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Allegheny County, }
State of Pennsylvania, } Sect.

I *J. H. McMillan* Clerk
of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and
for the County of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Wednesday*
the *30th* day of *December* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *Forty* personally
came before me *Poules North*
a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the

King of Britain and having been duly sworn according to
law, made his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the
United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all alle-
giance and fidelity to the *King of Britain* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *Thirtieth* day of *December* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Forty* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Fifty-fifth*

ATTEST,

J. H. McMillan

Clerk.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Evam Williams*
of *Wales* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he ~~was about~~ *was about*
~~was about 11~~ *eleven years of age* ~~at age~~
when he came to the U.S. & is now
has prior to his application, that is to say, on the day of
A. D., 18 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

Mr 21 ~~appears~~ that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Evam Williams* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
B. & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 1848 }

his
E. I. Williams
mark

I, *Daniel Evans* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Evam*
Williams resides in *Allegher Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 1848 }

Daniel Evans

John Willing

Frid Octbr 30 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Willym*
of *England* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *14th* day of *January*
A. D., 18*45* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary*
of the Court of the County of Allegheny appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Willym* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *30th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

John Willym

I, *Evan Evans* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John*
Willym resides in *Allegheny* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *30th* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Evan Evans

John Willson

Amherst, Mass.

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.



Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *14th*

day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *forty five*.

a native of *England* and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *14th*

day of *January* Anno Domini 1845 and of

the Independence of the United States, the *69th*

Geo. P. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Thomas C. Wilson

Filed October 30 1878

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE

OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
The Petition of Thomas M Wilson

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland* — —

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Thomas M Wilson* ————— the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of
A. D. 184

Thomas M Wilson

I, *Francis Nicholson* ————— of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Thomas M Wilson* the petitioner above named has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *20th*
day of *Oct 1845*

Anno Domini 184

Francis Nicholson

Prothonotary.

William Wilson

Filed October 30 1848

State of New York
County of Albany

James Wilson

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *William Wilson*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and was heretofore a subject of the
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *Eleventh* day of *December*
A. D., 18*43* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of W. Sup of Allegheny Co Pa appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *William Wilson* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30 day of October A. D. 1848 }

Wm Wilson

I, *Adam Wilson* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *William*
Wilson resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 30th day of October A. D. 1848 }

Adam Wilson

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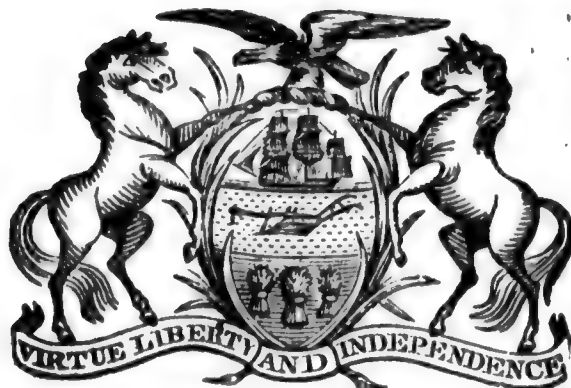
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I,



George W. Riddle
Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on Monday the 11th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty three.

a native of

Ireland

William Wilson
and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this 23rd day of September Anno Domini 1845 and of the Independence of the United States the 70th.

Geo. W. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Enoch Allen

Filed October 31st 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Enoch Allen*
of *England* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the
day of *April* A. D., 18*46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Circuit Court of the U.S. at Allegheny appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, *Enoch Allen* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Enoch Allen

I, *Joseph Owen* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Enoch Allen*
resides in *Allegheny* all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Joseph Owen

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Sixth ——— day of *April* ———
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
Six — *Enoch Allen* ———
a native of *England* ——— came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Sixth* ——— day of *April* ——— A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*Six* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-*-sixth*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

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Henry Brown

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Henry Braun*
of *Germany*
native of *Prussia of Hesse*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twentieth* day of *August*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of the County Court of Allegheny Co Pa appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Hesse*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Braun* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

Hesse

Prussia of Hesse
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Christian Braun

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8*

I, *Valentine Stork* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Henry Braun* resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8*

V. Stork

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Henry Braun

Certificate of
Declaration of Intention
Aug. 20 1844

ATTEST

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set.

I, *George Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY that on *Tuesday* the
20th day of *August* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four -

Henry Braun

a subject of the *Electn of Nepe- Capel* a native of *Germany* and heretofore
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
came before
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *Electn of Nepe- Capel* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *20th* day of *August* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four and of the
Independence of the United States, the *sixty ninth* -

ATTEST:

Geo Riddle Jr

Declaration of
Sambud Bung

At
New Orleans 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 31st day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Lambert Bung a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Lambert Bung* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the King of Prussia* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 31st
day of October A. D. 18

Cor.

W. Spradley
clerk

Lambert Bung

Hugh Crumey-

Sailed October 31st 1848,

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Hugh Curney*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Hugh Curney*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 31st day of *October*
A. D. 1848

Hugh Curney

I, *James A. Gibson*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Hugh Curney* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 31st

day of *October*

Anno Domini 1848

James A. Gibson

James Davis

Filed October 31st 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

of

The Petition of

James Davis
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *6th*
day of *April* A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of*
Cir Court of the U.S. W. D. of Pa. appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *Queen of Gr B. & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, *James Davis* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
Queen of Gr B. & Ireland of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *3rd* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8*

James Davis
his
mark

I, *Joseph Owen* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *3rd* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8*

Joseph Owen

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Elias J. Roberts*, Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Sixth day of *April*

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

six - *James Davis*

a native of *England* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have herunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Sixth* day of *April* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *six* **- and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy- *fourth*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Thomas Dunlop

Filed October 31 1848

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE

District Court of the United States for the West District of Pa

OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

The Petition of *Thomas Dunlap*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty-one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th day of May, A.D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Thomas Dunlap* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 31st day of *October*
A. D. 1848

Thomas Dunlap

I, *James A. Gibson*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Thomas Dunlap* _____ the petitioner above named has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 31st
day of *October* _____

Anno Domini 1848

James A. Gibson

Prothonotary.

Declaration of
John Olsson

4th Dec 01st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *31st* day of *October* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Ellusson a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Ellusson* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Byron — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *31st* } *J. J. S. J. S. J. S.*
day of *October* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruill
clerk

Balthasar Gorder

Filed October 31st 1818

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of Balthasar Foder
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
of native of Germany and was heretofore a subject of the

Duke of Baden
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the thirtieth day of October July
A. D. 18 44 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the Clerk of the Court of Allegheny Co Pa appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Duke of Baden whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, B. Foder do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Baden of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 31st day of Oct A. D. 1848

B. Foder
Clerk

I, George Kern do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said B. Foder resides in Allegheny Co Pa all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 31st day of October A. D. 1848

George Kern

Balthasar Jordan

Cum gratia

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PENNSYLVANIA,



Schuylkill County, ss.

We it remembered, That at a Court of Common Pleas, held at Orwigsburg, in and for the County of Schuylkill the 20th day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty four personally appeared Balthasar Freder before the said Court, who upon his solemn Oath did depose and say, that he is a native of Germany

now residing in the county of Schuylkill, aged fifty eight years, or thereabouts, and that it is *bona fide* his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to the Grand Duke of Baden

of whom he was before a subject.

Balthasar B. I. Freder
mark

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed the Seal of said Court at Orwigsburg, the 30 day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty four.

Chas. Hailey Prothonotary.

Declaration of
Mr Adam Raver

Given Oct 20th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 31st

day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Adam Raveat

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Adam Raveat*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

King of Byron

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of Byron

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

31st

day of October A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spraul
clerk

John Adam Raveat

James O'Connor

Filed October 31st 1888

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *James O. Comer*
of _____ HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen*

of Geo B
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the
day of _____ A. D., 18 _____ your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the _____ whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, _____ do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
_____ of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this _____ day of _____ A. D 184 _____

his
James O. Comer
mark

I, *John Purcell* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in _____ all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court, _____

Lana Reiff

Filed October 31st 1818

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *David Reiff*
of *Germany* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Duke of Baden* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *seventeenth* day of *September*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny Co appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *David Reiff* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Baden*
Baden of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

David Reiff

I, *Philip Wiggins* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *David*
Reiff resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Philip Wiggins

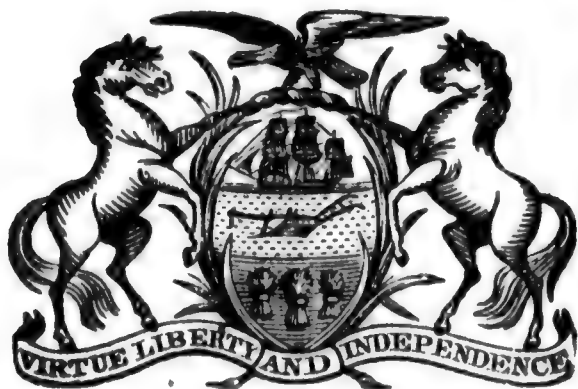
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I,

George R. Riddle



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *17*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four* *David Rieff*

a native of *Germany*
Grand Duke of Baden

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Baden*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *17*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *19*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of
Philip Ruckman

Filed Oct 31 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 21st

day of October

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Philip Ruchman

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Philip Ruchman* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Württemberg* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Württemberg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Suborn and Subscribed this 31st

day of October

A. D. 1848

Philip Ruchman

Cor.

W. Spruel
Clerk

John Steffen

Fried October 31st 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Reifer*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1834, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Reifer*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prin of Hesse* — — — — — whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 31st day of *October*
A. D. 1848

John Reifer

I, *Michael Vorkman*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *John Reifer* the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 31st
day of *October*

Anna Domini 1848

Michael Vorkman

George Rush

Filed October 31 1878

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

Count The petition of *George Rush*
of *Germany* ———— Humbly sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of and was heretofore a subject of the

King of Denmark

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fourteenth* day of *September*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *County of Allegheny, Pa.*
County of Allegheny, Pa. appears, that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *G. Rush* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland*
B. & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Spring Hoff

I, *Valentine Guckert* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *George*
Rush resides in *Allegheny, Pa.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8* }

Valentine Guckert

George Bush

Certificate

of
Declaration

Sept. 14 1844

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set,

I,

George Riddle

PROTHONOTARY of the

Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Saturday* the
14th day of *September* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four

George Rush

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore

a subject of the *King of Prussia* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *14th* day of *September* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four and of the
Independence of the United States, the *19th*

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George Riddle

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THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Andrew Tolis*

of
native of

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

King of Prussia

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the

fifteenth day of *August*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Andrew Tolis* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8*.

Andrew Tolis

I, *Gottlieb Haas* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Andrew Tolis* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184*8*.

Gottlieb Haas

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set,

I, *George H. Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Thursday* the
15 — day of *August* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*

Andres Toles —

a subject of the *King of Prussia* a native of *Germany* and heretofore
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *15* — day of *August* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *69* —

ATTEST:

George H. Riddle Pro

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Andrew Grapp*
of *Germany*
native of *King of Bavaria*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fifth* day of *August*

A. D. 18*46*, your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary*

of the County of Allegheny appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce

and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

Andrew Grapp do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,

this *3rd* day of *October* A. D. 184*6* }

Andrew Grapp

George Rapp do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Andrew*

Grapp resides in *Allegheny* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,

this *3rd* day of *October* A. D. 184*6* }

George Rapp

Water Damage

Pennsylvania, }
COUNTY, } Sect.

I, *George R. Riddle*

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Wednesday* the *fifth*

day of *August* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *seventy six* *Andrew Trapp*

of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the

Bavaria came before me, and having

according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *fifth*

day of *August* Anno Domini 18*76* and of

the Independence of the United States, the *71*

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Ludwig Welcker*
of _____
native of *Germany* _____
Prussia of West _____
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fourteenth* day of *September*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of this*
Court of 20 Sep of Allegheny Pa appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Prince of Hesse*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Ludwig Welcker* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Hesse*
Hesse of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *14th* day of *Sept* A. D. 184 *4* } *Ludwig Welcker*

I, *Bernard Welcker* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Ludwig*
Welcker resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *October* A. D. 184 *8* }

Bernard Welcker

Ludwig Meisters
Declaration Certificate

(A free hand)

Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Monday the 16th* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

Ludwig Melcher a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Nass Cassel*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Nass Cassel*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *16th* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Declaration of
Jno Baskin

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the first day of November in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Thomas Boskin a native of Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Thomas Boskin a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 1st
day of Nov A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clk

Thomas Boskin

Declaration of
Granty Bear

Filed Nov. 1st 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Arany Bear

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Frankly Bear*

a native of

Germany

do swear, that

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure ~~forever~~ all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

where ~~was~~ was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruill
clerk

Frankly Bear

Declaration of
Nicholas Blatz

February 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the first day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Nicholas Blatz a native of Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Nicholas Blatz a native of Germany

and heretofore a subject of Russia do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 1st
day of November A. D. 1848

Nicholas Blatz

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Clerk

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *John Brannon*
of *the City of Pittsburgh*
Ireland

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *15*
day of *June* A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Ally County*
James McKeloy appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, *John Brannon* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen*
of Great Britain & Ireland of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *25* day of *XXXXX Nov.* A. D. 18*48*

I, *James McKeloy* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John Brannon*
resides in *Ally County* all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *25* day of *XXXXX Nov.* A. D. 18*48*

James McKeloy

THE STATE OF OHIO, } COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, June Term, A. D. 1846
Columbiana County, ss.

On the 15th day of June 1846

John Brannan

an alien comes into Court and he

on oath declares that it is, *bona fide*, his intention to become a

citizen of the United States, and to renounce, forever, all al-

legiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State,

or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly *Victoria*

*Queen of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain & Ireland*

From the record. Witness, Samuel B. McKenzie, Clerk of said Court and the seal thereof, this 15th
day of June ——— A. D., 1846

Samuel B. McKenzie Clerk.

Declaration of
Peter Reading

Sept 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the first day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Peter Breeding

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Peter Breeding

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of King of Prussia do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this first

day of Nov

A. D. 1848

John H. Fitch

Cor.

W. Sprual Clark

Declaration of
Peter Cassidy

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *1st* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Peter Cassidy

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Cassidy* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Peter Cassidy

Cor.

W. Sprague
Clerk

Declaration of Intentions
of
Pahuck Cowlin

Filed Nov^r 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Patrick Conley,

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Patrick Conley*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov.*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Spruel
clerk

Patrick Conley

John Coombs
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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Castle* " " " " " "

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Castle* ————— the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *11th* day of *Nov*
A. D. 1848

John Cooke
W. Sprue
clerk

I, *John Saggart* of *the County of Allegheny*
do swear that *John Cooke* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *Just*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

Declaration of
Timothy Cowley

Filed Nov 3, 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

1st

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

with

Samuel Cowley

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Samuel Cowley*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

1st

day of *Nov*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruell
Clk

his
Samuel Cowley
Sworn

Declaration of
John Curran

7

St. Paul, 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Curren a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Curren* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. A. Spaul
White

John Curren

Declaration of
The Women

Helena Storr, 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *twinst* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Thomas Carrer

a native of *Germany Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Thomas Carrer* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Gt. Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *first*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sprout
clerk

Thomas Carrer

Declaration of
Frederick Dean

February 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Friedrich Dean a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Friedrich Dean* a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Meinhold* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Duke of Meinhold* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W. Spruce
Clk

Frederick Depr.

Declaration of Intention
of
Jacob A. Linsley

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Jacob Eisely a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Jacob Eisely* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *The King of Württemberg* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Württemberg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sproule
Clk.

} *Jacob Eisely*
Eisely

Declaration of
Amos H. Hays

Filed Nov^r 1st 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sct.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Conrad Vogel

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Conrad Vogel*

a native of

and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Prussia of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *first*
day of *Nov*, A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spraul
clerk

Conrad Vogel

Declaration of Intentions
Thomas Polup

Filed Nov 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Thomas Foley

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Thomas Foley* a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st* day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sprague
Clk

Thomas Foley

Declaration of
Christopher Gorges

Given Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Christopher Gargan a native of *Ireland* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Christopher Gargan* a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st* day of *Novr* A. D. 1848 }
Cor. *H. Spraul*

Christopher Gargan

Wm. C. Bell

Declaration of
Joseph Guise

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Joseph Giesel

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Joseph Giesel*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Byron

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*

day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sproul
Clk

Joseph Giesel

Samuel Harris
Petition

Voucher
Myra ~~Harris~~ ^{Harris}

Filed 1st November 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Conrad Here*, of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 21st day of October 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Plains of Allegheny County Pa appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Conrad Here* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st day of Novr*
1848 *H. Spauld*

Conrad Here

J. Myers Feller

petitioner *Conrad Here* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Conrad has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st Novr* *1848*

H. Spauld
Clk

Maigand Feller

Declaration of Intention
of
August Carl

Filed 1st Nov^r 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty*eight*

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *August Carl*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *the King of Saxony* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Saxony whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W Spraul
clerk

August Carl

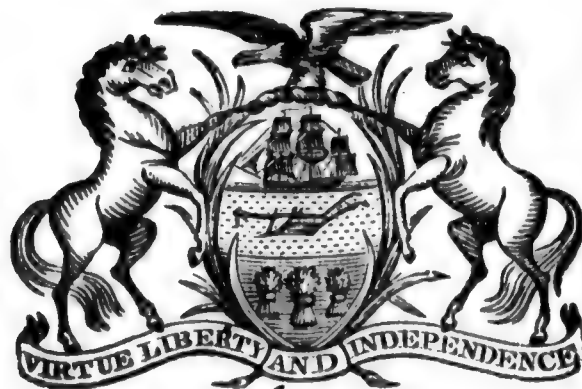
Conrad Herr

Certificate of
Reliance, of

Feb 21 1844

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *21st*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *seventy four*.

a native of

King of Prussia and heretofore a subject of the
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *21st*
day of *October* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *69th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of
John Miller

Filed Nov^r, 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Heller

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Heller* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *The Duke of Baden* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *The*
Duke of Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clerk

John Heller

Declaration of
John Chapman

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

}
sect.

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Hopman —

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Hopman*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *Principality of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance, and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Principality of Hesse —

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

1st
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spaul

Clk

John Hopman

David Jackson

Pittsburgh

John Woodside
(Clerk)

Filed 1st day of Nov
1848

(Vix)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Samuel Jackson* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *5 Years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *2 Years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 17th day of November 1845*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Allegheny County*
Court of Com. Pleas, this appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Samuel Jackson* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
& Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1 day November 1845*

Samuel Jackson

John Woodside
petitioner *Samuel Jackson* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *5* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Samuel Jackson
has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1 day November 1845*

John Woodside

State of Ohio, JEFFERSON COUNTY, SS.

I, *James Johnston* Clerk of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for said County, do
hereby certify, that at a court of Common Pleas, begun
and held in Steubenville, within and for the county
aforesaid, on the *17th* day of *November*
A. D. 18*45*, *Daniel Jackson* an alien from
England came into Court, and having been duly sworn
according to law, made his declaration, stating, that it was *bona fide* his intention to
become a **CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES**, and renouncing and
abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sove-
reignty whatever, and particularly, renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fideli-
ty to the *Government of Great Britain* whereof he was
a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my name and affixed the
seal of the Court aforesaid, at Steubenville, this *27th* day of *October*
A. D. 18*48*, and of the Independence of the United States the *Seventy third*

ATTEST :

James Johnston CLERK.

Declaration of
Evan Jones

55

Feb. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

}
sect.

At Pittsburgh, on the *first*

day of *November*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

a native of *Wales*

Evan Jones

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Evan Jones* a native of *Wales*
and heretofore a subject of *The Queen of Great Britain* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*

day of *Nov^r*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sprunt
Clerk

Evan Jones

Declaration of
Joseph Heccks

February 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Joseph Ruck

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Joseph Ruck*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Baden*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Duke of Baden

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clk

J. R. Ruck

Declaration of Intention
of
Henry Hutter

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight *Henry Kuster*
~~Andrew~~ a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Henry Kuster* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to ~~the~~
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spaul
White

Hindrich Kuster

Declaration of
John Litchick

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} ^{sect.}

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Peter Litschuk

a native of

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Litschuk*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of ~~*Hesse*~~ *the Prince of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to ~~*the*~~

Prince of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov*

A. D. 18*48*

Peter Litschuk

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clk

Declaration of
Daniel Lutz

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Daniel Lutz

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Daniel Lutz* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *the King of Bavaria* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Bavaria whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 1st
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W. Sprual
Chall

Daniel Lutz

Religion of Patents
W. Cole

Book
James W. Cole

Sept 1st Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Patrick McCabe* of *the County of Allegheny*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 26 day of August A.D. 1846*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
pleas of the County of Bedford appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
of Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Patrick McCabe*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st day of*
November A.D. 1848

Pat McCabe
La

petitioner
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
years, and within the State of Penn-

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st day of*
November A.D. 1848

La *M. G. Leake*

Certificate of Patrick R
Mc Cabe's Report &
Registry

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
BEDFORD COUNTY, SS. }

Be it remembered that at a Court of Common
Pleas held at Bedford, in and for the County of
Bedford, on the 26th day of

August in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and forty ~~eight~~

personally appeared Patrick B. McCabe

a native of ~~the~~ Ireland whose birthplace is
the Parish of Longwood County of Meath - Age twenty
eight years or thereabouts, who owes allegiance to Vic-
torica Queen of Great Britain and who arrived in the
United States on the 21st day of June 1840

who before the said Court, upon his solemn oath did depose and say, that he is a
native of the Ireland

now residing in the County of Bedford aforesaid, in the State of Pennsylvania, ~~aged~~
~~about~~ _____ ~~years,~~

and that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State
or Sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain

of whom he was before a subject.

IN TESTIMONY whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of said Court, at Bedford, this 22nd day of March
Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and forty eight

J. B. Webb
Prothonotary.
per O. B. Shannon, Clerk

Anthony Helms
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Anthony Helmer* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* — and
was heretofore a subject of the *Government of France* —

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — prior to this application,

that is to say, on *6th day of October 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of this County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*.

— whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Anthony Helmer* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France*
— whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1 day of Nov.*
1848 *W. Spence*

Anthony Helmer

petitioner *Anthony Helmer* — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Anthony has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1 day of Nov.*
1848 *W. Spence*
clerk

Joseph Zimmerman

Anthony Miller
Declaration Certificate

(St. W. Smith)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I ~~James~~ Thomas Farley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Friday the 4th day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Four personally came before me,

Anthony Hilver a native of France
and heretofore a subject of the King of France
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the King of France
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 6th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Four and of the Independence of the United States, the 28th Month

ATTEST,

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Declaration of
John Givins

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Geiw a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Geiw* — a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Baden* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Duke of Baden — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *Nov*

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A. D. 18 *48*

H Spruill
clerk

John Geiw

Declaration of
Thos McCoy

Filed Nov: 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Thos McCoy a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I. *Thomas McCoy* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

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W. M. Moul
Clk

Thomas McCoy

Petition of
Gelis McSwigan

Voucher

Michael McSwigan

Filed Nov 1st 1848

UNITED STATES, } ss.
Western District of Pennsylvania, }

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Felix McSwiggan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *31st day of August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *circuit court of the*
United States western district of Pennsylvania appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Felix McSwiggan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *first* day of *Nov*
1848 }
H. Spraul
Clerk

Felix McSwiggan

Michael McSwiggan

petitioner *Felix McSwiggan* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Felix McSwiggan* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st* day of *Nov*
1848 }

H. Spraul
Clerk

Michael McSwiggan

Certificate of Declara-
tion of Intention of
Felix Amshagian

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Thirty first day of *August*

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four *Felix* *De Swigan*

a native of *Ireland* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Thirty first* **day of** *August* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *four* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the sixty- *ninth*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Debit of
Frank McSurgen.

Voucher
Michael McSurgen

Filed 1st Nov. 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Frank McSwigan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *31st August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court of*
the United States Western District of Pennsylvania appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Frank McSwigan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this

Frank McSwigan
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do swear, that the
petitioner *Frank McSwigan* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Frank McSwigan* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st November*

1848
Michael McSwigan
Witness

Certificate of Declaration
tion of Intention of
Frank M. Livingston

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Thirty first day of *August*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four *Frank W. Swiggen*
a native of *Ireland* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Thirty first* *day of August* *A. D. one*
thousand eight hundred and forty-four *and of the Indepen-*
dence of the United States the sixty-ninth

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Petition
of
Michael Morgan

Prover
Patrick Gormley

Filed 1st Nov. 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael McSwiggan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *31st August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *circuit court of*
the United States western District of Pennsylvania appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael McSwigan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st day of November*
1848

H. Spruiell

Michael McSwigan

do swear, that the
petitioner *Michael McSwigan* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael McSwigan* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st November*
1848

H. Spruiell

Patrick Gormley

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of
(Michael) McKernan

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Thirty first day of *August*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four *Michael McGowan*
a native of *Ireland* — came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Thirty first* *day of August* *A. D. one*
thousand eight hundred and forty-four *and of the Indepen-*
dence of the United States the sixty-ninth

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Declaration of
Martin M. M. M.

St. Louis, 1846

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty*eight*

Martin Mahon

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Martin Mahon* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*

day of *Nov*

A. D. 18 *48*

Cor.

W. Spruel
Clk

Martin Mahon

Declaration of
Casper Meyer

Filed Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} ^{act.}

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Casper Mier a native of *Germany* *Thomson*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Casper - Mayer* a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of *King of the French* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Government of France* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *Novr* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clall

Casper Mayer

Declaration of
Simon Millar

Filed Nov 21st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Simon Miller

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Simon Miller* —

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *Prin of Hesse*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Prin of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*

day of *Nov.*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Shaw
clerk

Simon Miller

Declaration of Intentions
of
Peter Murray

Filed 1st Nov^r 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Peter Murray a native of *Ireland* —
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Murray* a native of *Ireland* —
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this
day of *Nov*

A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sproul
clerk

Peter Murray

Declaration of
Andrew P. Puncher

Filed Nov 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Andrew Pucher a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Andrew Pucher* a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Baden* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Duke of Baden* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st* day of *Novr* A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clk

Andrew Pucher

Declaration of
Joseph Pritz

October 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-~~eight~~

Joseph Prutz a native of

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Joseph Prutz* — a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this
day of *Nov* A. D. 1848

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H. C. Sprue
Clerk

Joseph Prutz

Petition of
Thomas Digley.

Muehio
William Dalziel

Filed 1st Nov. 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Thomas Dingley* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — — — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — — — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *27th day of August 1842*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Common Pleas of*
Seneca County — — — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland — — — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Thomas Dingley* — — — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st day of Nov.*
1848 *Wm Sprout* *clerk*

Thomas Dingley

William Dalzell
petitioner *Thomas Dingley* — — — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Thomas has resided in Allegheny County — — —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of Nov.*
1848 *Wm Sprout*
clerk

William Dalzell

Thomas Digley;

Certificate

Commissioners of the General Land Office

Washington, D.C.

To the Honorable

Secretary of the Interior

Washington, D.C.

I hereby certify that

the following is a true and correct

copy of the original

filed in the office of the

Commissioners of the General Land Office

Washington, D.C.

This certificate is given

under the authority of the

Commissioners of the General Land Office

Washington, D.C.

Given at Washington, D.C.

this 1st day of January

1900.

Witness my hand and the seal of the

Commissioners of the General Land Office

this 1st day of January

1900.

Thomas Digley,

Secretary of the Interior

Washington, D.C.

I hereby certify that

the following is a true and correct

copy of the original

filed in the office of the

Commissioners of the General Land Office

Washington, D.C.

This certificate is given

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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
Lancaster County, ss.

I, *Christian Bachman* Prothonotary of
the court of Common Pleas, in and for the county of Lancas-
ter, in the second Judiciary district of Pennsylvania. **DO**
CERTIFY, That at a Court of Common Pleas, hold-
en at Lancaster for the county aforesaid, on the *twenty seventh*
day of *August* — one thousand eight hundred and

twenty thirty two
Ronald Dingley
a Native of
Ireland

declared, on oath, before said court, that it is BONA FIDE, his intention to become a Citizen of the Uni-
ted States, and to renounce, forever, all Allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate,
State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to *William the Fourth King of the United*
Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, his heirs & successors forever

IN TESTIMONY whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal of the said court, the *twenty seventh*
day of *August* — in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *twenty thirty two*

Christian Bachman
Prothonotary

Petition of
Michael Rattigan

Verdict
of Jury returned

Filed Nov 1st 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Rattigan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *August 7th 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Rattigan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *first* Nov 1848 }

W. Spruill
Clerk

Michael Rattigan

J. James Fitzpatrick do swear, that the

petitioner *Michael Rattigan* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael Rattigan* has
resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *1st* Nov 1848 }

W. Spruill
Clerk

James Fitzpatrick

Michael Pattinson's
Wedding Certificate

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Wednesday* the *7th* day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Michael Mattigew a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the *United States*,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *Seventh* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun=
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Eighty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Declaration of
Philip Riddick

Filed Nov 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the first day of November in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Philip Riddell

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Philip Riddell

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of Prussia of Hesse do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to Prussia

Prussia of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this first
day of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. C. Sprague

clerk

Philip Riddell

Declaration
of
Francis Robinson

Guatemala 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first*

day of *November* - in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Francis Robinson

a native of *England*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Francis Robinson*

a native of *England*

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain &c* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *first*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. C. Spradell
Clk

Francis Robinson

Declaration of Intentions
of
Patrick Shannon

Filed Nov^r 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Patrick Shannon a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Patrick Shannon* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sprague
clerk

Patrick Shannon

Petition of
Jacob Shimberg

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Martin Otto

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Given 1st November 1848

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE
Circuit Court of the United States for the West District
of Pennsylvania
~~OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.~~
The Petition of Jacob Shumbar

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Jacob Shumbar* ————— the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany* ————— whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *1st* day of *Nov^r*,
A. D. 1848 }
W. Sproul
Clk

Jacob Shumbar

I, *Martin Otto* ————— of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Jacob Shumbar* ————— the petitioner above named
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *1st*
day of *November* }
Anno Domini 1848 }
W. Sproul
Clk

Martin Otto
Prothonotary.

Declaration of Subscribers
of
Andrew Stenck

John Stenck 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Andrew Staub

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I,

a native of

and heretofore a subject of *the King of* *Byron* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Byron — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov* —

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruell
Clk

Andrew Staub

Declaration of
George Walter

Y. Philip Nov. 1st 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *first* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

George Waller — a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the

following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *George Waller* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *King of Hanover* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Hanover — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *1st*

day of *Nov* —

A. D. 18*48* }

Jürgen Mülken

Cor. *W. Sprung*
Clall

Declaration of
Charles Pickens

Filed Nov. 2^d 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Charles Becker

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Charles Becker*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

Grand Duke of Hesse

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Grand Duke of Hesse.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *second*

day of *November* A. D. 1848

Charles Becker.

Cor.

W. Sprout
Clerk

Petition
Henry Boulgen

Voucher
In^e B. Schneider
Filed Nov 24 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *B. Henry Boulgen* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Prussia* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *Oct 7 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *circuit court*
of United States Maryland appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Boulgen* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Nov 1844*

W. Sprule

Johann B. Schneider

petitioner *Henry Boulgen* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *two* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Henry Boulgen* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Nov 1844*

W. Sprule

Johann B. Schneider

Henry Boulger

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United States of America,

DISTRICT OF MARYLAND, to Wit:

Circuit Court Office, Baltimore, October 7th 1844

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the day of the date hereof, personally appeared in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the United States, for the Fourth Circuit, in and for the Maryland District, *Henry Boulger* a native of *Prussia* and at present residing in the *City* of *Baltimore* who made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce for ever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever, and particularly all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal of the said Circuit Court, this *Seventh* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty *four*.

Thos Spier
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Wilhelm Busch*
of *Pittsburgh* Humbly sheweth, That your Petitioner is a native of
Germany and was heretofore a subject of the *King of*
Prussia

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *19* day of *August* A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary* of the *Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny Co.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wilhelm Busch* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2* day of *November* A. D. 18*48* }

Wilhelm Busch

I, *Mr. Geller* —do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Wilhelm Busch* resides in *Allegheny Co.* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Maximilian Geller

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *2nd* day of *November* A. D. 18*48* }

1844
Wilhelm Pesz

Certificate
of
Declaration

Aug 19. 1844

John H. H. H.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set.

I, *Geo. R. Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Monday* — the
19th day of *August* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*.

Wilhelm Busz

a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Prussia* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *19th* day of *August* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *4th*

ATTEST:

Geo. R. Riddle
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Petition of
William Cowell

Vouched by
Andrew Fleming
Jas Leucaschur

2nd Nov. 1848

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States -
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Hiram Cancell* of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*.

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Hiram Cancell* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* - whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

W. Spraul
clerk

Hiram Cancell

I, _____ of _____
do swear that _____ the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *second*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

W. Spraul
clerk

James Jamachire

James Jamachire

Declaration of
John Carlos Riaty

Filed Nov. 2^d 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second*

day of *November*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Conrad Deatz -

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Conrad Deatz* -

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

King of Prussia

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to ~~the~~

King of Prussia -

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

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day of *November*

A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W. Spruel

clerk

John Conrad Deatz

Declaration of
George Dehnen

Filed Nov. 2nd 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

George Dechuk — a native of *Germany* —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *George Dechuk* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Prussia of Hesse — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*
day of *Nov* —

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. O. Smith
Clk

George Dechuk

Declaration of
John Dugan

Filed Nov^r 2^d 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the second day of November in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Dugan a native of Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, John Dugan a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the

Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 2nd
day of November A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

W. Sproul
Clerk

John Dugan

Declaration of
Casper Feil

Filed Nov^r 2^d 1845

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *2nd* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Casper Peil a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Casper Peil* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*
day of *November* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruiell
Clerk

Casper Peil

Petition of
John Graham

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Nov 2, 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *John Graham* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* — and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* —

— that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five Years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two Years* — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 16th day of October 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Coshocton County Ohio* — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland* — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Graham* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland* — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd day of Nov.* }
1845 *W. Sprunt* }
clerk

J. St. Millison . do swear, that the
petitioner *John Graham* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *Five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *John Graham* has resided in *Allegheny
County* —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd day of Nov.* }
1845 *W. Sprunt* }
clerk



INTENTION OF NATURALIZATION.

THE STATE OF OHIO, Coshocton County, ss.

I, *Joseph Burns* Clerk of the Court of
Common Pleas in and for said county, do hereby certify that *John*
Naham a native of *Ireland*

October did on this *16th* day of
Oct. 1844, declare on oath, before me, that
it was *bona fide* his *intention* to become a citizen of the United States,
and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince,
Potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen*
of *the United Kingdom of G. Britain & Ireland*
whom he is now a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have herewith set my hand and affixed the seal of said
Court, at Coshocton, this *16th* day of *October* *Oct. 1844*.

Jo. M. Mason

Joseph Burns Clerk.

Petition
of
John Grusch

Voucher
James Herdman

Filed November 2nd
1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Gruesch*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Gruesch*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prince of Prussia* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Spruell
Clerk

John Gruesch

James Herdman of *Allegheny*

do swear that *John Gruesch* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *2nd*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spruell
Clerk

James Herdman

Declaration of
Henry Augustus Hammes

Filed Nov 2nd 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Henry Augustus Hamman a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Henry Augustus Hamman* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Grand Duke of Hesse* - do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Grand Duke of Hesse - whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*
day of *Nov.* A. D. 18*48* }

Cor.

W. Spruel
clerk

Henry Augustus Hamman

Declaration of
John Kiepp

Feb. 2nd 1848.

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Heapp

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Heapp*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *Grand Duke of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Grand Duke of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*

day of *November* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clk

J. J. Spruill

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Joseph Klemm

Voucher
Ino B Schraden

Filed 2nd Feb 1848

(Paid)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Joseph Klem* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *1st Nov 1843*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of common*
Pleas for Allegheny County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

Joseph Klem do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Nov 1848* }

W. Spruill
John B. Shroeder
Thomas Baskin
petitioner *Joseph Klem* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Joseph Klem* has resided
in Allegheny County Pa

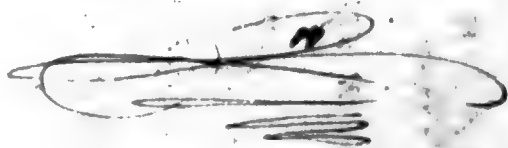
all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd November 1848* }

W. Spruill
John B. Shroeder
Thomas Baskin

Joseph Klem's
Declaration

Certificate



(\$1.00 paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Farley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Wednesday the 1st. day of November
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Three personally came before me.

Joseph Klerk a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of the King of Byer
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Byer
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 1st day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Three and of the Independence of the United States, the Sixty Eighth

ATTEST,

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Petition of
James Longmore

Deputies

Wm Davidson

Filed November 2nd 1848

(200)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James Longmore* of

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years*
that is to say, on *16th September 1845* prior to this application,

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County Pa appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Longmore* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd November 1848*

W. Spruill
Clerk

James Longmore

petitioner *James Longmore* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *James Longmore* has
resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Nov 1848*

W. Spruill
Clerk

Wm. Davidson

James Longman's
Declaration Certificate

Chas. Fair

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sect.

I, Thomas Harley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Tuesday the 16th day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty five personally came before me,
a native of Ireland

James Longmore
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 16th day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty five and of the Independence of the United States, the Seventieth

ATTEST

Thomas Harley Clerk.

Petition of Michael M Lough
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John (admiral)

Filed 2^d Nov 1848

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE
Court of the United States for the Western
District of Pa

OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.
The Petition of Michael McLaughlin of Allegheny County

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Michael McLaughlin* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*, whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 *W Spruce*

Michael McLaughlin

I, *John McLaughlin* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Michael McLaughlin* the petitioner above named
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *2nd* day of *November* — *John McLaughlin*
Anno Domini 1848 *W Spruce* *John Barnes*
Clute

Petition of
Jm Metcalfe

Vouched Francis Robinson
for ^{Jm Metcalfe}
~~the~~ ~~Wiley~~

Filed November 2 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *John Metcalfe* of *Allegheny*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the thirty first of January 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court of the*
United States in and for the Western District of Pennsylvania appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Metcalfe* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd* November 1848 }

John Metcalfe
made

W. Spraul Clerk
petitioner *John Metcalfe* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *John Metcalfe* has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *second* day of November
1848 }

W. Spraul
Clerk

Francis Robinson
William Metcalfe

*Certificate of
Declaration of John
McLellan*

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of the United States the
thousand eight hundred and
this day of the month of
I hereby declare the seal of the
in Scotland and
and Ireland, wherever he goes,
render all assistance and support

and of the United States
of the United States
A. D. one
of the United States
to the Queen of Great Britain
is subject.

his intention to render assistance to any
some form of rebellion, civil war, or
before the 1st of the month of

1862

on the
District

in Court

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
thirty first — day of *January* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *John Metcalfe* —
a native of *England* — — — came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *thirty first* *day of January* *A. D. one*
thousand eight hundred and forty-six *and of the Indepen-*
dence of the United States the Seventieth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Wm. Wiley

William Metcalfe

son of John Metcalfe

Filed 2nd November
1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of William Metcalfe of Allegheny County

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *William Metcalfe* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

William Metcalfe

W. C. Spruell
Clerk

John Metcalfe of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *William Metcalfe* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *2nd*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

John Metcalfe
Deponent

W. C. Spruell
Clerk

Declaration of
John Goye Ord

Filed November 2^d
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John George Orde, a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *John George Orde* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Suborn and Subscribed this *second*
day of *November* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruel
Clerk

John George Orde

Declaration of
Richard Price

September 2^d 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Richard Price a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Richard Price* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to ~~the~~
Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *second*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.



C. Spraul
Clerk

Richard Price

Petition of
Wm. Reese

Vouch
Lewis & Lewis
Filed Nov 2nd 1848

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Evan Rees*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Wales*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Evan Rees*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

} *Evan Rees*
W. Spraul
clerk

I, *Lewis D Lewis*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Evan Rees* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *2nd*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

} *Lewis D Lewis*
W. Spraul
clerk

Philip Riley
Petition for
Naturalization

Vouches
Samuel O. Riley

2nd Nov. 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Philip Riley of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland —
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that Two years — prior to this application,
that is to say, on the 29th day of Oct 1844
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County Pa — appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen &c
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Philip Riley do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 2nd day of Nov^r
1848 Wm Spraul. Clerk

Philip Riley

petitioner I Samuel O'Riley do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Philip has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 2nd day of Nov^r
1848 Wm Spraul.
Clerk

Samuel O'Riley

Philip Riley

Certificate of

Declaration of Intention

Oct 29 1899

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Set.
George R. Riddle

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do



by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *29*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four* - *Philip Riley*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *29*
day of *October* — Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *9*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Philip Riley

Declaration of
John Schwepke

Filed Nov. 2nd 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Schwop

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Schwop* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Württemberg* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Württemberg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*
day of *Nov.*

Cor.

A. D. 18*48*

W. Spraul
Clerk

Johannes Pfister

Petition of
James Smith

Voucher
Dent M^c Mullin

Filed Nov 27 84 8

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Denis Smith*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Denis Smith*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Spruill
clerk

Denis Smith

I, *Daniel Mcmullen*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Denis Smith* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *2nd*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

Daniel Mcmullen
W. Spruill
clerk

John Smith
Petition for
Naturalization

John Selam
Filed Nov 2nd
1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *John Smith* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of France*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *14th Oct 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter Sessions*
of Allegheny County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of France*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

John Smith

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of France*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd November 1848*

W. Sprout
Clerk

John Smith

petitioner *John Smith*

has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *John Smith* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Nov 1848*

W. Sprout
Clerk

John Solomon
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John Smith

Declaration Certificate

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Monday* the *14th* day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me

John Smith a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of the *King of the French*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of the French*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *10th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Ninth*,

ATTEST,

Thomas Farley Clerk.

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Petition of
Daniel Sullivan

Warden
Michael Sullivan

Filed Nov 2 1848

(1,000 ad)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Daniel Sullivan* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, 'That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 10th day of June 1845*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County* appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* —
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Daniel Sullivan* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd day of*
Novr 1848

H. Sprague }
1848 } *Daniel Sullivan*
Michael Sullivan do swear, that the
petitioner *Daniel Sullivan* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Daniel has resided in Allegheny Co*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Novr 1848*
H. Sprague }
W. H. Hall }

Michael Sullivan
Mark

DECLARATION OF INTENTION.



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

The State of Ohio,
Hamilton County,

} ss.

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned, Clerk
of the COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, within and for the County of Hamilton, aforesaid,

Daniel Sullivan
a native of *Ireland*

aged about *fortyfive* years, bearing allegiance to the *Queen of England*

from *Leart* on the *5th* day of *April* A. D. 18 *38* and arrived
at *Eastport (Maine)* on the *25th* day of *October*
A. D. 18 *40* and who intends to reside within the jurisdiction and under the Government
of the United States, to wit: *Cincinnati*

and he makes report of himself for **Naturalization**, and declares, on
oath, that it be bone fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States of America,
and to for ever renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Po-
tentate, State and Sovereignty whatsoever; and particularly to the *Queen of the United*
Kingdoms of Great Britain and Ireland
Signed Daniel Sullivan

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, *Sixth* day of *June* A. D. 18 *45*

In Testimony Whereof, I, EDWARD C. ROLL,
Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the seal of said Court at Cincinnati,
the day and year above written.

E. C. Roll
Edw. C. Roll
CLERK COURT COM. PLEAS HAM. CO., OHIO.

Petition of
Michael Sullivan

Witness
James Golden

Filed Nov 2 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Sullivan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *five years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on the *26th day of June 1845*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the court of common
pleas of Lehigh County Ohio

appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore

prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Sullivan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd day of Nov^r* }
1845 *H. Spaul*
Clk

his
Michael Sullivan
Mark

J. Daniel Calder do swear, that the
petitioner *Michael Sullivan* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael Sullivan* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd Nov^r* 1845 }
H. Spaul
Clk

his
James Calder
Mark



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

The State of Ohio, } ss.
SCIOTO COUNTY,

I, JOHN R. TURNER, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said County, Do by these Presents Certify, that, on *Thursday* the *twenty sixth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and *Eighty five* at a Court of Common Pleas holden in Portsmouth, in said County, personally came *Michael Sullivan*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

Queen Victoria

and having been duly sworn

according to law, made his **Declaration**, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a Citizen of the United States; and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to

Victoria Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

~~WITNESSES~~ my hand and the Seal of the said Court at Portsmouth aforesaid, this *26th* day of *June* A.D. 18*85* and the *43rd* year of this State.

John R. Turner Clerk S. C. C. P.
Per Eliza Jeffords
Adg. Clk

Petition of
Casper Maynor

Deponent
John Bruggman

Filed Nov 2 1848
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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Casper Weyman*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *Casper Weyman*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hannover* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *Nov* 1848
A. D. 1848

W. Sprout
Clerk

Casper Weymann

J. Bruggeman

of *Allegheny*

do swear that *Casper Weyman* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this second
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Sprout
Clerk

J. Bruggeman

Petition of Sept
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Filed Nov 2 1848
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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Joseph Weyman* -

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

Joseph Weyman

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hannover*.
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *2nd* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Sprout
Clk

his
Joseph Weyman
Mark

I, *J. Brugeman*

of *Ally Co*

do swear that *Joseph Weyman* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *2nd*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

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Jonh Brugeman

Declaration of
Joseph W. McKim

Febr. 2nd 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sct.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *second*

day of *Novr*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Joseph Wilhelm

a native of

Germany —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Joseph Wilhelm*

a native of

Germany —

and heretofore a subject of *King of Württemberg*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Württemberg

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 2nd

day of *November*

A. D. 1848

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Petition of
Edward Dunn

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TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGES OF THE
Circuit Court of the United States for the Western District of Penn.

~~OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.~~

The Petition of *Edward Dunn of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty-one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th day of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Edward Dunn* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *3^d* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8* } *W. Spruill*
clerk

Edward Dunn

I, *John W. Carthy* _____ of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Edward Dunn* _____ the petitioner above named has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *3^d*
day of *November*
Anno Domini 184*8* } *W. Spruill*
clerk

John W. Carthy

Deputy Clerk

Petition of John
Ruddy

Decker
Philip Rully

3rd Nov 1845

mailed

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{Court} District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of ~~John Ruddy~~ *John Ruddy*
of *Allegheny County* ———— HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* ———— and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *Two years*

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *Ninth* day of *October*
A. D., 18*46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &c* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Ruddy* ———— do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &c* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *3rd* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }
W. Spruce, Clerk

John Ruddy

I, *Philip Rully* ———— do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year, — that is to say, he the said *John Ruddy* resides in *Allegheny County* ———— all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *3* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }
W. Spruce, Clerk

Philip Rully

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *A. A. Mann* Clerk of the District Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
ninth day of *October*

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
Six before the Clerk of the said Court,

John Ruddy
a native of *Ireland* came and declared his
intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States,
and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *ninth* day of *October*, A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty *Six* and of the Independence
of the United States the ~~sixty~~ *Seventy first*

A. A. Mann Clerk.

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States -
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Peter Batters of Allegheny County*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany* —
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

J. Sprule
Clk

John Latta

I, *J. Sprule* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Peter Batters* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

J. Sprule
Clk

John Latta

ORIGINAL RECORDS OF THE
UNITED STATES

Abraham Dechete

Filed November 4 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Abraham Bechtel*
of *Germany* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Germany* and was heretofore a subject of the
Grand Duke of Baden

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *second* day of *November*
A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
County of Allegheny of Pennsylvania *do Ohio* appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Grand Duke of Baden*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Abraham Bechtel* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Grand Duke*
of Baden of which I was heretofore a subject.
Abraham Bechtel

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

I, *Francis H. Peyster* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Abraham*
Bechtel resides in *Allegheny* *Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

F. H. Peyster

THE STATE OF OHIO,
Columbiana County, ss.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, Nov Term, A. D. 1846

On the 2^d - day of Nov 1846

Abraham Bechtell

an alien comes into Court and

on oath declares that it is, *bona fide*, his intention to become a

citizen of the United States, and to renounce, forever, all al-

legiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State,

or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly *the*

Grand Duke of Baden

From the record. Witness, Samuel B. McKenzie, Clerk of said Court and the seal thereof, this

day of November A. D., 1846

Samuel B McKenzie Clerk.

Petition of
Joseph Bridenbaugh

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Joseph Gueter

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Joseph Bredinbaugh* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* — and
was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *14th day of December 1848* " " "
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Clerk of the Court*
of Common Pleas of Jefferson County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Joseph Bredinbaugh* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov* 1848 }
H Spruill
Clerk

Joseph Swailenberg

petitioner *Joseph Bredinbaugh* — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Joseph has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov* }
1848 *H Spruill*
Clerk

Joseph Ganster



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H. Sproul Esq
616 U States
Villaburg
Pa

~~Handwritten signature or mark~~

Joseph Bredanbaugh a native of Germany on his solemn
Oath administered according to Law in the Court of Common
Pleas of Jefferson County and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania before
the Prothonotary thereof doth declare that it is his bona fide intention
to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce forever
all Allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince Potentate State
or Sovereignty whatever and particularly to the Present King of
Germany whereof he was hitherto a Subject

Joseph Bredanbaugh
Sworn and subscribed the 14th day of December Anno Domini 1840
Entered and filed among the Records of said Court

Joseph Bredanbaugh

Sevi G. Glover Prothy

Jefferson County

I John S. Thompson Prothy of the Court of
Common Pleas ^{of said County} do certify that the above and fore-
going is a true and correct copy of the declaration
of intentions filed in said Court by Joseph Bredanbaugh
on the 14th Decr 1840 and remaining on file in the Proth-
onotary office in the County aforesaid

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, and seal
of said Court at Brookville the 16th day of October A.D. 1848

John S. Thompson Prothy

Sister Purkey

Felia Nov 4 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of
of

Luke Burke
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the
day of A. D., 18 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of A. D. 184 }

Luke Burke
mark

I, *Chas Gibbons* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this day of A. D. 184 }

Chas Gibbons
mark

George Bentree

Felan Nov: 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty*eight*

George Benten — a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *George Benten* — a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Byron — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sprank
clerk

his
George Benten
Mark

Petition of
Michael Byrne

Witness

Richard Tully

Filed Nov 11 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{Circuit} District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of Michael Byrne of Allegheny
County _____ HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of Ireland _____ and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland _____

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he two years -

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the first day of October
A. D., 18 44 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the Clerk of the
Court of Allegheny County Maryland appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the Queen &c
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Michael Byrne _____ do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland _____ of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 4 day of Nov^r A. D. 184 8 } Michael Byrne
A. Spraul, Clerk

I, Richard Turley _____ do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said Michael Byrne
resides in Allegheny County _____ all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 4 day of Nov^r A. D. 184 8 } Richard Turley
A. Spraul Clerk

Michael B. Byrne

Apprentice

Oct 15th 1844

James T. Jones

MARYLAND;

And sheweth
Allegany county, to wit:

AT COUNTY COURT, begun and held at the Court House, in the Town of Cumberland,
in and for Allegany county aforesaid, on the *fourth* Monday and *30th*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and *forty four* were present,

Richard A. Marshall Esquires, Associate
Judges

Norman Bruce Esq., Sheriff, and *Aza Ball* Clerk

Amongst the proceedings of said Court were the following, to wit: *Oct. 1st 1844*

Michael Byrne - a Native of *Ireland*
appeared in open Court, and makes the following Report to
the Clerk of Allegany county Court:—That he arrived in the United States of America from
Ireland the place of his nativity; that he
is about *32* years of age, and intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland.

At the same time, the said *Michael Byrne* makes oath on the Holy
Evangelical of Almighty God, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States
of America, and renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or
Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *Queen Victoria*

MARYLAND, Allegany county, Oct.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is truly taken from the Record of
Proceeding of Allegany County Court, State of Maryland

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the
Seal of my Office, this *3rd* day of *Nov.* 1843

Henry Bruce, Clerk

James Campbell

Filed November 4 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } **SS.**

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *James Campbell*
of *Pittsburgh* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Irishman* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the _____ day of
A. D., 18 _____ your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

_____ appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Campbell* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 184 *8* }

James Campbell

I, *Robert Hill* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said

_____ resides in _____ all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *Nov* — A. D. 184 *8* }

Robert Hill

David W. Conthy

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 4th. day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Dem^t McCarthy

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Daniel McCarthy* a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 4th day of Nov. A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. S. Sproul
Clk

Daniel McCarthy

Petition
of
James Connor

Worshipful
George W. Keen

Gilead Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{District} Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *James Connor*
of *Allegheny County* ———— HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland ————

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *Two years*

has prior to his application; that is to say, on the *30* day of *October*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County Pa* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen &c* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Connor* ———— do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* ———— of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }
A Spraul Clerk

James Connor

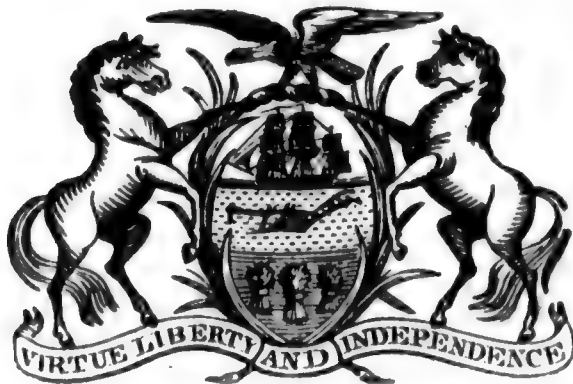
I, *George McKee* ———— do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James Connor* resides in *Allegheny County* ———— all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }
A Spraul Clerk

George McKee

1844
James Connor

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
I, } *Sct.*



George R. Riddle
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Wednesday* the *30*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four* *James Connor*

a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain and Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *30*
day of *October* Anno Domini 18*44* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *69th*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition
of
Matthew Bridge

Boucher
John Whitehead

Gloucester 4th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Matthew Bridge* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* —
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 12th day of October 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of *the Court*

appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen* —
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Matthew Bridge* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* —
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th* day of *Nov* 1848

A. Spraul Clerk *Matthew Bridge*

John Whitehead — do swear, that the
petitioner *Matthew Bridge* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Matthew has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States — and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th* day of *Nov* 1848

A. Spraul Clerk *John Whitehead*

Wm. H. Phelps

Wm. H. Phelps

Wm. H. Phelps

Wm. H. Phelps

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twenty sixth day of *October* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four - Matthews *bridge* —
a native of *England* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twenty sixth* **day of** *October* **— A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *four* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the *sixty-sixth*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Thomas Curtains
Certificate of
Declaration
of
Intentions

Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, { ss:

I, *Henry Spraul* Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United
States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, do hereby Cer-
tify that on the *fourth* day of
November A. D. one thousand eight hundred and
forty eight

Thomas Curtain native of *Ireland* came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citi-
zen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain Ireland* whereof he
was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said
Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *fourth* day of *November*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and *forty eight* and of the Independence of the
United States the seventy-*third*

H. Spraul Clerk.

Thomas Curtain

Eden Nov^r 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Thomas Curtain a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Thomas Curtain* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. S. Speal
Clk

his
Thomas Curtain
mark

Petition of
John C. Ebb

Deborah
Gottlieb Ebb

Nov 11th 1845

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John C. Erb* of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *John C. Erb* ————— the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

J. Spraul
clerk

John C. Erb

I, *Gottlieb Seif* ————— of *Allegheny County* —

do swear that *the petitioner above named*,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *4*
day of *Nov* —

Anno Domini 1848

J. Spraul
clerk

Gottlieb Seif

Francis Silber

Filed November 4th 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Francis Feller*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Francis Feller* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prussian* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *John Hunter* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Francis Feller* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
4th day of *November*
Anno Domini 184 *8*

John Hunter

Petition
of
John Fiehering

Boncher
William Reinke

Filed Nov^r 4 1847

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *John Fischer* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Hanover* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Hanover*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 9th day of September 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Com-*

mon Pleas of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hanover*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Fischer* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Hanover*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th Nov 1848*,

H Spaul *John Fischer*

I *Michael Becker* do swear, that the
petitioner *John Fischer* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

John has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th Nov 1848*

H Spaul
Becker

Michael Becker

John Fisher

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth* day of *Nov* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Fisher a native of *England*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *J Fisher* a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen V* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W Sprout
clerk

John Fisher
ms

Geo. Fischering

Certificate
of
Declaration

Sept 9. 1844

William B. Smith

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set.

I, *Geo. B. Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Monday* the
9th day of *September* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four

John Fischer
a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Hanover* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Hanover* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *ninth* day of *September* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-four and of the
Independence of the United States, the *69th*

ATTEST:

Geo. B. Riddle
Pro

Adam Friend

Y. Friend Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 4th day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight
Adam Freund a native of Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Adam Freund a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of King of Prussia do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 4
day of Nov. A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sprout
Clerk

Adam Freund

Selection of
Georgia Will

Teacher
Richard Turley

Julia H. Nov. 1848

R. W.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *David Hill of Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Scotland* — — — — — and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland — — — — —

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *Two years*

~~has~~ prior to his application, that is to say, on the *26th* day of *October*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clark of the*
Town of Allegheny County Maryland — — — — — appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &c*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *David Hill* — — — — — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &c*
— — — — — of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*8* }
H. Sprague
clerk

David Hill
make

I, *Richard Turley* — — — — — do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year, — that is to say, he the said *David Hill*
— — — — — resides in *Allegheny County* — — — — — all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*8* }
H. Sprague
clerk

Richard Turley

David How
Application
Oct. 1844

MARYLAND,

Allegany County, to wit:

AT A COUNTY COURT, begun and held at the Court-House, in the Town of Cumberland, in and for Allegany county aforesaid, on the *second* Monday and *fifteenth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four* were present,

Hon. Richard H. Marshall

Esquires, Associate

Norman Bence

Sheriff, and *Aza Beall* Clerk

Amongst the proceedings of said Court were the following, to wit: *25th Oct 1844*
David How a Native of *Scotland*

appeared in open Court, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—That he arrived in the United States of America from *Scotland* the place of his nativity; that he is about *33* years of age, and intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland.

At the same time, the said *David How* makes oath on the Holy Evangelical of Almighty God, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America, and renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *Queen Victoria* to whom he was formerly subject

MARYLAND, ALLEGANY COUNTY, SCT.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing is truly taken from the Record of Proceeding of Allegany County Court, State of Maryland.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the SEAL of my Office, this *26th* day of *October* 1844

Aza Beall

Francis Guckert

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of
of *Francis Guckert* *HUMBLY SHEWETH*, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the
day of A. D., 18 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *King of Prussia* whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of A. D 184

Francis Guckert

I, *C. Guckert* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,

V. Guckert

Rudolph Kottmann

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*Eight*

Rudolph Holthaus a native of *Switzerland*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *R Holthaus* a native of *Switzerland*
and heretofore a subject of *King's Government of Switzerland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Government of Switzerland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*.)

Cor.

W. Spaul
Clk

Rudolf Althaus.

Martin Hasselbeck

Given Nov^r 4th 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Martin Hasselbeck

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Martin Hasselbeck*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

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day of *Nov*

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Martin Hasselbeck

Cor.

W. Sprual
clerk

Petition
of
David Jones

Witness
Evan S Morgan

Filed Nov^r 4 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *David Jones* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Wales* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *27 January 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *circuit court*
of the United States for the western District of Penna appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *David Jones* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th* November
1848

W. Spraul
Clerk

petitioner *David Jones*
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

David Jones
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J. Evan Morgan do swear, that the

has resided within the limits and under the
five years, and within the State of Penn

David Jones has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th* November 1848

W. Spraul
Clerk

Evan Morgan

*Certificates of Declaration
of Davis S. Jones.*
Jan 22 1874

Chas. S. Jones

United States the eighteenth
and eight hundred and forty-four
and a half of the said County of the Independence
and a half of the said County of the City of Pitts-
burg, Pennsylvania, to renounce and affirm forthwith
his allegiance to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, hereof
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, **Edward Jones Roberts**, Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twenty seventh day of *January*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four, *David S. Jones*

a native of Wales, came before the Clerk of
the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming
a Citizen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince or poten-
tate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance
and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof
he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twenty seventh* day of *January* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and of the Independence
of the United States the sixty-eighth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{Circuit} District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Thomas Keys*
of *Allegheny County* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *two years*

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *14th* day of *October*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *clerk of Allegheny*
County Court Maryland appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Thomas Keys* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *14th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

Li
Thomas Keys
Make

I, *David Hill*

do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Thos Keys*
resides in *Allegheny County* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

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David Hill
Make

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Application

A.C. 1844

MARYLAND, Allegany county, to wit:

AT A COUNTY COURT, of the Fifth Judicial District of Maryland, composed of the Counties of Frederick, Washington and Allegany, begun and held at the Court-house in the Town of Cumberland, in and for Allegany county aforesaid, on the 2d Monday of October and 14th day of the same month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four, were present:

The Honorable

Richard H. Marshall } Associate Judge.

Norman Bruce Esq., Sheriff, and Aza Beall, Clerk.

At which said Court, amongst others, were the following Proceedings, to wit:

Be it Remembered, That on this 14th day of October in the year eighteen hundred and forty four, Thomas Keys a Native of Ireland

appeared in open Court, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from Ireland the place of his nativity; that he is about 28

years of age, and intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland.

At the same time, the said Thomas Keys makes oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that it is *bona fide* his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America, and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to Queen

Austria

MARYLAND, Allegany county, to wit:

I, AZA BEALL, Clerk of Allegany county Court, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is truly taken from the Record of proceedings of Allegany county Court, in the State of Maryland.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my name and ~~affixed~~ my Seal of Office, this 14th day of October 1844

Aza Beall Clerk of Allegany county Court, Md.

Petition of
Peter Herr

Vouches
P. McGinnis

Filed December 4
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.
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To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Peter Kerr*
of *Allegheny County* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *two years*

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *29th* day of *April*
A. D. 1846 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *clerk of Allegheny County Court Maryland* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Peter Kerr* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Peter Kerr

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

W. Spraul
clerk
I, *P. McInnis* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year, that is to say, he the said *Peter Kerr* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

W. Spraul
clerk

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Application

STATE OF MARYLAND, Allegany County, set.

Be it remembered, That on this *29th* day of *April* in
the year eighteen hundred and forty-six *Peter Kerr* a Native of
Ireland appears in the Clerk's Office, and makes the following Report
to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from *Ireland*
in the year of *1840* the place of his nativity; that he is about *35*
years of age, and that he intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland. At the same
time said *Peter Kerr* makes oath on the Holy Evangelists of Al-
mighty GOD, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United
States of America; and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every
foreign prince, potentate or State Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *Queen*
Victoria to whom he was formerly subject

MARYLAND, Allegany County, to wit:

I, Henry Bruce, Clerk of Allegany County Court, do hereby certify, that the
aforegoing is truly taken from the Records of my Office.
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name and
affixed my seal of Office, this *29th* *day of*
April — *1846*

Henry Bruce Clerk
Of Allegany County Court, Md.

George Hitchcock

Feb. Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

George Melch

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I,

George Melch

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

King of Württemberg

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to ~~the~~

King of Württemberg

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Suborn and Subscribed this

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UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

14th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

David Kerr

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, David Kerr,

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

Her Majesty Queen of Great Britain &c.

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Her Majesty Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

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W. Spraul
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UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

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} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *Nov* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*Eight*

Nicholas Lang a native of *France*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *N Lang*

a native of

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and heretofore a subject of *The King of France* do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-

jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty

whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of France

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *fourth*

day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

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Thos Miller

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

4th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

eight

Thomas Kelleen

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Thomas Kelleen*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

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Petition of
John Lowrie

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Andrew McMillan

Filed Nov 4 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *John Lowry* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 16 day of September 1843*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County Pa appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Gornie* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th November 1848*
W. Spraul
clerk

petitioner *John Gornie* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *John Gornie* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th Nov 1848*

W. Spraul
clerk

James M. Miles



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Declaration of
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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sect.

I, Thomas Farley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on Saturday the 16th day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Three personally came before me,

John Jerny a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of the Government of Germany
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the Government of Germany
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this ~~Sixteenth~~ day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Three and of the Independence of the United States, the ~~forty eight~~

ATTEST

Thomas Farley
Clerk.

George Gibb

Gila Nov: 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *14th* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

George Lieh a native of
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *George Lieh* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Byron — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48* *George Lieh*

Cor.

H. Spruel
clerk

Joseph Lutz.

Julia Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 14 day of Mar in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-Eight
B. Suta a native of Pr

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Joseph Suta a native of Pr
and heretofore a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to The
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 14
day of Mar A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sprual
Clk

Joseph Suta

Petition of
Jeremiah McCarthy

Vouches
Timothy McCarthy

Filed Nov 4th 1848

Paris

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Jeremiah McCarthy* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Allegheny* — prior to this application,
that is to say, on

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court*
of the United States appears appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jeremiah McCarthy* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *Nov 4th 1848*

H. Spruel

Jeremiah McCarthy

petitioner *Jeremiah McCarthy* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Jeremiah McCarthy*

County

Jeremiah McCarthy

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *14th Nov. 1848*

H. Spruel
Clk

Daniel Webster

Filed Nov 4 78/8

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Daniel McCalla*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Daniel McCalla* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Daniel McCalla

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novem*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *W. S. Miller* of *Allegheny Co*
do swear that *Daniel McCalla* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
4 day of *Novem*
Anno Domini 184 *8*

W. S. Miller

Petition of
J^{no} W. Cleveland

Becker

J. C. Peckham

Filed 4 Nov. 1848.

W.P.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

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To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Mc Belland*
of *Allegheny County* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *swears*

~~was~~ prior to his application, that is to say, on the *third* day of *October*
A. D., 1846 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Circuit Court*
of the United States West Dist of Pa — appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Mc Belland* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }
At Spring, Allegheny

John Mc Belland

I, *James C. Richey* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John Mc Belland* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

James C. Richey

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Declaration

Intentions

John McClelland

Before the Clerk of the said Court
of the one thousand eight hundred and forty-
four, and in the County of [blank] that on the
[blank] day of [blank] in the Western District
of the United States, in the District Court
of the said County of [blank]

THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO

50/ said —

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *A. A. Irvine* Clerk of the District Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
third day of *October*

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

by — before the Clerk of the said Court,
John McClelland —

a native of *Ireland* — came and declared his
intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States,
and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *third* *day of October* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty *six* **and of the Independence**
of the United States the ~~*sixty*~~ *seventy first* —

A. A. Irvine Clerk.

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Petition of
John McCue

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Thomas Kennedy

Filed Nov 24th 1848

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See History about date of Dec 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John McClean*
of *Allegheny County* _____
native of *Ireland* _____
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland _____
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *two years*

~~was~~ prior to his application, that is to say, on the *seventh* day of *June*
A. D., 18*45* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny Co. Pa.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John McClean* _____ do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*5* }

A. Special Clerk

John McClean
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I, *Thomas Kennedy* _____ do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said

+ resides in *Allegheny County* _____ all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*5* }

A. Special Clerk

Thomas Kennedy

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I, *William Hully*



Prothonotary of the COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Thursday* the *17* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty five*

a native of *Ireland*

King of Great Britain

and heretofore a subject of the *King of Great Britain* came before *me* and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Great Britain* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *4* day of *November* Anno Domini 18*48* and of the Independence of the United States the *73*

William Hully

PROTHONOTARY.

Duplicate

Petition of
John M. Cleary Jr

Vouch
J. M. Cleary

Filed Nov 4th 1848

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John McClure Jr of Alleghany County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland* —

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John McClure Jr* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

H Spraul
Clerk

John McClure Jr

I *John McClure*

of *Alleghany County*
the petitioner above named,

do swear that

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *4*

day of *Nov*

Anno Domini 184*8*

H Spraul
Clerk

John McClure
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Bernard W. Kenna

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirteenth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Bernard M'Keenon

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Bernard M'Keenon*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

14th

day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. C. Spaul
clerk

Bernard M'Keenon

George Miller.

Filed November 4 1888

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *George Miller*
of *France*
native of *Government of France*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *seventh* day of *September*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny Co. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Miller* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

George Miller

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *24th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

I, *J. G. Backofen* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *George*
Miller resides in *Allegheny Co.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *24th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

J. G. Backofen

George Miller

Certificate of
Declaration of Intention

Sept 7 1844

By J. B. McKee

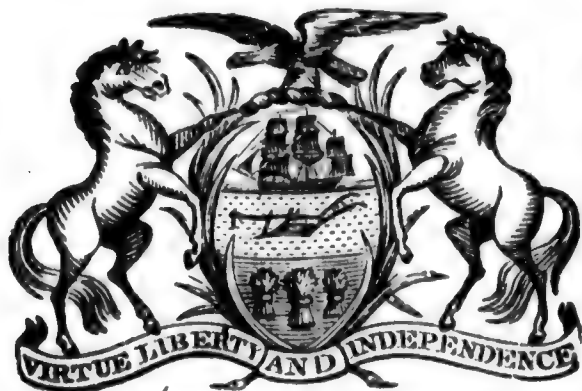
~~Attest~~

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.



Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Wednesday* the *7th*

day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four*

a native of

France
King of the French

George Miller
and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of the French* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *7th* day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and of the Independence of the United States the *69th*

Geo R Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

J. Samuel Miller

Filed Nov 3^d 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sc.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

J. Henrich Miller a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *J. Henrich Miller* a native of
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *14*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

J. Henrich Miller

Declaration of
Evan D Morgan

Witnessed 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*1845*

Evan D Morgan

a native of *Wales*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Evan D Morgan*

a native of *Wales*

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*

day of *November* A. D. 18*45*

Cor.

H. Sprunt
clerk

Evan D Morgan

Jacob Morille

Gile Nov. 4th 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

14th

day of

} *sect.*

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty*eight*

a native of

Germany

Jacob Munkle

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Jacob Munkle*

a native of

Germany

do swear, that

and heretofore a subject of

Duke of Baden

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Duke of Baden

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

4th

day of *November* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sproul
Clk

Jacob Munkle

George Mass

Yllean Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 4th day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

George Mass a native of Germany
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, George Mass a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of King of Prussia do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 4
day of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spaul
Clerk

George Mass

Petition of
~~Certificate~~
James Nealey

~~Accepted by~~

Wucher

John Nealey Jr

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *James Neely of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Italy*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *James Neely* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 *H Sprule*

James Neely

I, *John Neely* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *James Neely* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *4th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

John Neely Jr.

H Sprule
Clerk

Garrett Jan Nynckhuis

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth*

} *sect.*

day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Gerrit Young Nijenhuis a native of *Holland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Gerrit Jan Nijenhuis* a native of *Holland*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Holland* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Holland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

Gerrit Jan Nijenhuis

Petition
of
Samuel Platt

Concurred
Samuel Holmes

Filed Nov: 4th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Samuel Platt* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* —
— — — — — that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five years* — — — — — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* — — — — — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 10th day of October 1845* — — — — —
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Allegheny County Pa — — — — — appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen &c* — — — — —
— — — — — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Samuel Platt* — — — — — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
— — — — — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th Nov^r 1848* }
A Spruel Clerk

Samuel Platt

I *Samuel Holmes* — — — — — do swear, that the
petitioner *Samuel Platt* — — — — — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year, that is to say, he, the said

Sam^r has resided in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov^r* }
1848 *A Spruel*
Clerk —

Samuel Holmes

J. B. Pelster.

Filed November 4 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Francis H. Pelster*
of *Germany* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Germany* and was heretofore a subject of the
King of Hanover

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *second* day of *November*
A. D., 18 *46*, your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Common Pleas of Columbia County appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hanover*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Francis H. Pelster* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of*
Hanover of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

F. Pelster.

I, *W. F. Stevenson* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Francis*
H. Pelster resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

W. F. Stevenson

THE STATE OF OHIO,
Columbiana County, ss.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, *Nov* Term, A. D. 1846

On the *2^d* day of *Nov* 1846

Francis A. Pelster

an alien comes into Court *and* _____

on oath declares that it is, *bona fide*, his intention to become a
citizen of the United States, and to renounce, forever, all al-
legiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State,
or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly *the King*
of Hanover in Germany.

From the record. Witness, Samuel B. McKenzie, Clerk of said Court and the seal thereof, this *2^d*
day of *November* A. D., 1846

Samuel B. McKenzie Clerk.

Draft

1845

Samuel Platt

Certificate of
Declaration

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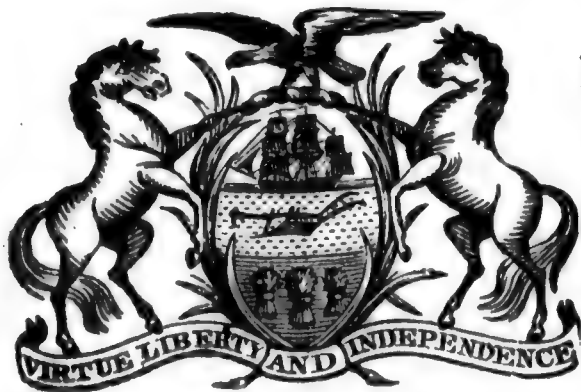


The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.



Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Friday* the *10th*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *seventy five*:

a native of

England

and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *10th*

day of *October*

Anno Domini 18*45* and

of the Independence of the United States the *7th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Thomas Rankin.

Folia Nov 4 7828,

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Thomas Rankin*
of HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *was 18*
day of A. D., 18 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of A. D. 184

Thomas Rankin

I, *Thomas Hamilton* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this day of A. D. 184

Thomas Hamilton

Petition of
Oliver Riley

Vouches
John Naddy

Filed 4th Nov. 1848

R. Noy

And I certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the original as filed in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office at the City of New York, this 10th day of November, 1848.

John Naddy, Clerk of the Court.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of

Owen Reiley of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a

native of

Ireland

and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *Two years*

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the

18th

day of

September

A. D., 1844 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United

States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

Justices of the Peace of Allegheny County Pa

appears; that he will

support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce

and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty

whatever, and particularly to the Queen

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted

to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Owen Reiley do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,

this 4 day of Nov.

A. D. 1845

John Ruddy

do swear, that the Petitioner has resided

within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and

within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said Owen Reiley

resides in Allegheny County all of

which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his

residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached

to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the

same.

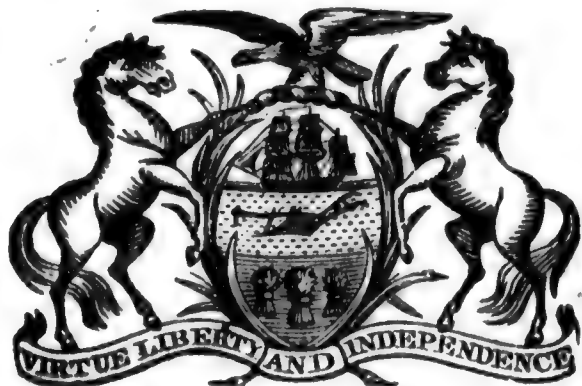
The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.

George R. Riddle



Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *18*

day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four* *Owen Reilly*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *18*

day of *Sept* Anno Domini 18*44* and

of the Independence of the United States the *69*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition
of
Daniel Ryan

Comcha
St. Hilystall

Nov. 11, 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Daniel Ryan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 31st of October 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County Pa* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Daniel Ryan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th Nov^r 1848*

Wm Spruill
James H. Spruill
petitioner *Daniel Ryan*
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Den Ryan has resided in*
Allegheny County

Daniel Ryan

do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Den Ryan has resided in*
Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov^r*
1848

Wm Spruill
James H. Spruill

James H. Spruill

Went Ryan

Certificate of

Declaration

Oct 31 1844

To

Chas. Ryan

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four

and hereunto subscribed his name

James Ryan

before me, the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace for the County of ... State of ...

and he has acknowledged to me that he is the person who has signed the foregoing declaration

and that he is a free man, and not a slave, and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state

and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state, and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state

and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state, and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state

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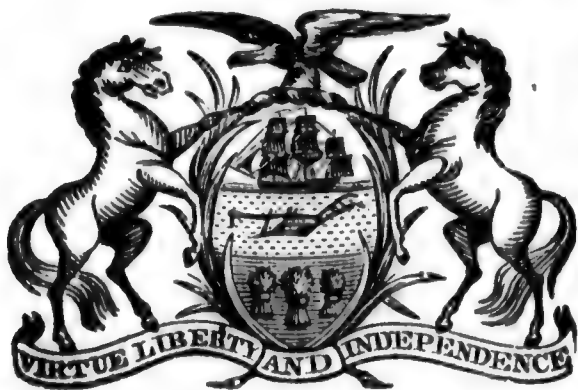
and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state, and that he is not a subject of any foreign prince, potentate, or state

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.



Prothonotary of the

AllegHENY County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Thursday* the *31st*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *sixty four*.

a native of

Ireland
Queen of Great Britain, Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain, Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *31st*
day of *October* Anno Domini, 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *69th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Hugh Scott

Filed November 24 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Hugh Scott*
of *Pittsburgh* ———— Humbly sheweth, That your Petitioner is a native of
Ireland ———— and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of*
Great Britain & Ireland ————

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the 27 day of *December* A. D., 1844 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of this Court* ———— appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Hugh Scott* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 24th day of November A. D. 1848 }

H. Scott

I, *Brook Wilson* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Hugh Scott* resides in *Allegheny Pa.* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this 24th day of November A. D. 1848 }

Brook Wilson

LETTERS

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Declaration

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *A. A. Swin* Clerk of the District Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
— *27th* — day of *December*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four before the Clerk of the said Court,
Hugh Scott
a native of *Ireland* came and declared his
intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States,
and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and
abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this — *27th* — day of *December* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty *four* and of the Independence
of the United States the sixty-*ninth*

A. A. Swin Clerk

William Scott

June 20th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

William Scott

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Scott*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Gt Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Gt Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*

day of *November* A. D. 1848

Cor.

W C Sproul
clerk

William Scott

Andrew Sheaffer

Filed Nov 4 7 18/8

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Andrew Sheaffer*
of *Primer G. Hesse*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the
day of A. D., 18 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of A. D 184 }

I, do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this day of A. D. 184 }

Declaration of
Henry Snell

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Henry Snell — a native of *Germany*.

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Henry Snell* — a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Prussia of Hesse — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sproul
clerk

Guinn & Co. Seal

Hugh Longhrey

Filed Nov 4 78/8

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Hugh Loughery*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Hugh Loughery* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of G. B. & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Hugh Loughery

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *14* day of *Nov*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *Thos. S. Hart* of *Allegheny Co*
do swear that the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
14 day of *Nov*
Anno Domini 184 *8*

Thos. S. Hart

Petition of
James Smith

Voucher
James Verner

Given 4 Nov 1748

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *James Smith*
of *Allegheny County* ———— HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* ———— and was heretofore a subject of the
the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland ————

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *two years*

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *second* ———— day of *November*
A. D., 18*46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County* ———— appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* ———— whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Smith* ———— do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* ———— of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*8* }
W. Spraul
clerk

James Smith

I, *James Verner* ———— do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James Smith* ———— resides in *Allegheny County* ———— all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*8* }
W. Spraul
clerk

James Verner

James Smith

Certificate

of
Declaration



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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sect.

I, *John Young* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Monday* the *2nd* day of *November*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty six* — personally came before me,

James Smith

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great-Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great-Britain & Ireland*,
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *second* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty six* and of the Independence of the United States, the *seventy second*.

ATTEST

John Young Clerk.

Charles Stubb

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Director, 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} act.

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Charles Stueb —

a native of *Germany* —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Charles Stueb* —

a native of *Germany*

do swear, that

and heretofore a subject of *Prussia of Hesse*

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *Prussia*

Prussia of Hesse —

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4*

day of *Nov* A. D. 18

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clk

} *Joel Marshall*

Portrait of
Paul Siebert

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Paul Siebert of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided ~~the~~ the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Paul Siebert*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, ~~whatever, and particularly to the~~ *Prussian Monarch* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

H Spraul
Clerk

Paul Siebert

I, *John Braggam*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *— — — — —* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *4th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

John Braggam

H Spraul
Clerk

Y. Will^{ms} Walsh

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UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

4th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

William Welsh

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, William Welsh

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

the Queen of Great Britain &c

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

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day of

November A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruel
Clerk

William Welsh
Mark

Settlement

John Wolf

Voucher

G. Gost

Filed November 4th
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *John Wolf*
of *Allegheny County*
native of *France*
King of France
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he *two years*

was prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fourth* day of *September*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *White of the*
Club of Quakers of Allegheny Co — appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to, any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of France*, whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

John Wolf do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of France* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

W. C. Smith
clerk
I. G. Galt do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, *Five years* and within the State of Pennsylvania one year—that is to say, he the said *John Wolf* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

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John Wolf.

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Declaration of Intentions

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } *Sct.*



I, *John Young Jr.*

Clerk of the Court of Quar-

ter Sessions of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania, do by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *twelfth* day of

September

in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and

forty four

John

Wolf

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of the *King of France*

came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing
and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *King of France*

whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and af-
fixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *fourth*
day of *November* Anno Domini, 184*8* and of the In-
dependence of the United States, the seventy *three*

John Young Jr.

Clerk.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Joseph Wilson*
of *Pittsburgh* Humbly sheweth, That your Petitioner is a native of
Meekins and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of*
Great B & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *24th* day of *November* A. D., 18*48* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary* of *County of Allegheny* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Joe Wilson* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great B & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Joseph Wilson

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *24th* day of *November* A. D. 18*48* }

I, *Tom Wilson* do swear, that the Petitioner *Joe Wilson* has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Joe Wilson* resides in *Allegheny* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this *24th* day of *November* A. D. 18*48* }

Tom Wilson

J^r Wilson,

Certificate of

Marriage

Nov 1874

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Sct. *Geo. R. Riddle*
Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *11th*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four*.

a native of

Ireland
John of Great Britain, Ireland — and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain, Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *11th*
day of *November* Anno Domini 18*44* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *69th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

J Charles Young

St Paul Nov. 4th 1848

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UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Charles Young

a native of

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came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Charles Young* a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of *the King of France* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of France — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *Nov* — A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sproul
Chl

Francis Chandler
Jany

Petition of
Jacob Zimmerman

Deputy
Sh. & Hart

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Jacob Zimmernann* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* — — — and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia* — — —
— — — that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five Years* — — — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two Years* — — — prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 6th day of February 1848* — — —
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
places of Allegheny County Pa.* — — — appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
— — — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jacob Zimmernann* — — — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* — — —
— — — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov^r* }
1848 *W. Spraul, Clerk*

Jacob Zimmernann

I *John Hart* — — — do swear, that the
petitioner *Jacob Zimmernann* — — — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Jacob has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov^r* }
1848 *W. Spraul, Clerk*

John Hart

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } sct.
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

I, *A. Sutton* Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania, do by these presents certify, that on *Sat*
urday the *10th* day of *February*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty one*

Jacob Zimmerman
a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Prussia* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, poten-
tate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all
allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the
said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *10th* day of *February* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty one*
and of the Independence of the United States, the *sixty fifth*

Attest,

A. Sutton

Michael Byrum

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the

4th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Michael Vighin

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Michael Vighin*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

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day of

November A. D. 18*48*

Michael Vighin

Cor.

W. Spaul
Clk

Francis Cross

Filia November 5 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Francis Crous*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

subject of Prince of Nepe

Germany

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Francis Crous

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of
A. D. 184

I, *John Alderman* of

do swear that the petitioner above named has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

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J. Alderman

John H. Pupper

Filed November 5th 83

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John H. Ruppker*
of native of *Germany* and was heretofore a subject of the
King of Prussia

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twelfth* day of *September*
A. D. 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Allegheny County appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John H. Ruppker* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *5th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Joseph Linnig Tuglow

I, *J. S. Richardson* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John*
H. Ruppker resides in *Allegheny County* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

J. S. Richardson

John H. Phipps

Declaration Certificate

(Price paid)

Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }

I, *Thomas Parley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Tuesday* the *10th* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

John M. Ruppert a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *Ten* day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Parley Clerk.

John Semples

Felia November 5 1818

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Sample*
of *Ireland*
native of *Ireland*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twelfth* day of *October*
A. D., 18 *38* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Allegheny Co. Pa.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Sample* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *5th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

John Sample

I, *Joseph T. Marks* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John Sample* resides in *Allegheny Co. Pa.* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *5th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Joseph T. Marks

Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
State of Pennsylvania, }

I *William Willson* Clerk
of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and
for the County of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Saturday*
the *6* day of *October* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *thirty eight* personally
came before me *John Sample*

a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of England and having been duly sworn according to
law, made his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of
the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all
allegiance and fidelity to the whereof he was a former subject.

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *6* day of *October* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *thirty eight* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *sixty third*

ATTEST.

Wm Willson Clerk.

William Allen

Feb Nov: 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th

} *scd.*
day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

William Allen

a native of *Ireland* —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Allen*

a native of *Ireland* —

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

Cor:

W. C. Spraul
clerk

William Allen

Philip Andre

Ylma Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the

6th

day of

Nov

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

eight

Philip Andre

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Philip Andre*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

the King of Prussia

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of

November

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sproul

Philip Andre

Petition of

John Ann for
Naturalization

Proctor

Leol Schman

Filed November 6 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Auer*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Auer* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Sweden* whereof I was heretofore a subject

John Auer

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 *H. Spaul*
clerk

I, *Jacob Lehman* of *Allegheny County* the petitioner above named,
do swear that *John Auer*

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and that he has resided in the State of Penn^a one year prior to this application* *Jacob Lehman*

Sworn and subscribed, this *6th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

H. Spaul
clerk

Petition of
Henry Amberg

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Henry Amberg

Filed Nov: 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry Ansburch* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Princ of Hesse*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *19th August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Princ of Hesse*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Ansburch* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Princ of Hesse*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6 day of Nov. 1848*
Wm Sprague
clerk

James E. ...

J. H. ...

petitioner *Henry Ansburch* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Henry Ansburch has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6 day of Nov.*
1848 *Wm Sprague*
clerk

James E. ...

Henry Amesberg's

Redemption Certificate,

Henry Brackman

Henry Brackman

(#100 paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } *Scl.*

I, Thomas Hawley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Monday the 19th* day of August
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

Merry Amsherg a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of the Prince of Hessen Castle
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the Prince of Hessen Castle
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *nineteenth* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun=
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *sixty eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Hawley Clerk.

Selection of
John Ainsbury

Voucher

Wm. D. Ainsbury

Dec 6th Nov 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Ainsburgh of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Ainsburgh* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8* *H. Spraul*
Clubb

John Ainsburgh

I, *Henry Buckman* _____ of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *John Ainsburgh* _____ the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States, *and has been residing in the State of Pennsylvania*

Sworn and subscribed, this *6th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

H. Spraul
Clubb

Sworn and subscribed in the State of Pennsylvania
Henry Buckman

John of
David Bandi

Baruch
Joseph Altemura

Filed Nov 6th 1888

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of David Bandi of Allegheny County

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *David Bandi*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* whereof I was heretofore a subject

David Bandi

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of November
A. D. 184*8*

W. Sprout
Clerk

I, *Joseph Allenman*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *David Bandi* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *David Bandi Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *6th*

day of November

Anno Domini 184*8*

W. Sprout
Clerk

Martin Boudier

Feb 20 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Martin Remder —

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Martin Remder* —

a native of *Germany* —

and heretofore a subject of *King of Bavaria* do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Bavaria —

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th
day of *November* A. D. 18 *48*

Cor.

W. Spraul
clerk

Martin Remder

COMMONS OF GREAT BRITAIN
IN PARLIAMENT ASSEMBLED
[]

THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

Resolved, That the sum of £100,000 be granted to the
Treasury of the Admiralty for the purchase of
ships and boats for the service of the
Royal Navy.

And it is the duty of the Admiralty to report to the
House the progress of the service.

James Mackenzie
The Admiralty have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above
subject, and to inform you that the same has been
forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.
I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
James Mackenzie
Secretary to the Admiralty

James Mackenzie
The Admiralty have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of
your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the above
subject, and to inform you that the same has been
forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.
I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
James Mackenzie
Secretary to the Admiralty

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *James Bracken*
of *Ireland*
native of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *thirtieth* day of *January*
A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Allegheny appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Grt B & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Bracken* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8*

James Bracken

I, *Thos. Maloy* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James*
Bracken resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

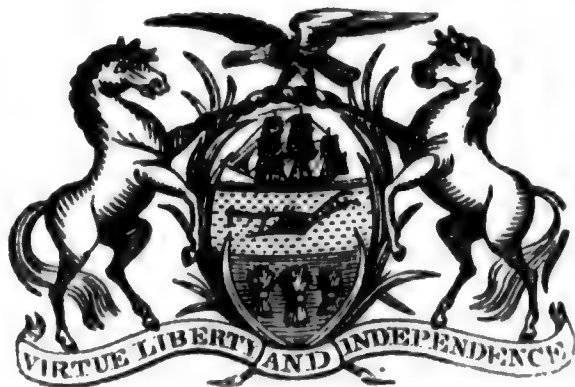
Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8*

Thos. Maloy
attest

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I,



Prothonotary of the

George A. Riddle
Court of Common Pleas

of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *13*
day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *forty six* *James Bracken*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *13*

day of *January* Anno Domini 18 *46* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *70th*

George A. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY

William Bremner

Heath 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Wm Brumm a native of Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, William Brumm a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of Prussia of Hesse do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
Prussia of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 6th
day of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

Wm Brumm
Sub

Michael Lammert

Laurens Brown's
Petition

Laurens Brown

Wm. C. Brown
Thos. Owens

Filed Nov. 6th 1848

(Mix)

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Samuel Brown* of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Switzerland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Samuel Brown* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the ~~King of Great Britain~~ *his* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Samuel Brown
ms

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November
A. D. 1848 }
W. Spraul
clerk

I, *J. P. Owens* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Samuel Brown* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and in Penn^a. one year*
prior to the application

Sworn and subscribed, this 6th
day of November
Anno Domini 1848 }
W. Spraul
clerk

Thomas Owens

Henry Buttz

Filed Nov^r 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6*

} *set.*
day of *November*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Henry Butz a native of *Switzerland*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Henry Butz* a native of *Switzerland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Government of Switzerland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Government of Switzerland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *Nov?* A. D. 184*8* }

Cor.

W. C. Spaul
clerk

Henry Butz

Peter Butz

Filed Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 6 day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Peter Butz

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Butz*

a native of

Switzerland

and heretofore a subject of *the government of Switzerland* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

government of Switzerland

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of

Nov?

A. D. 1848

Cor.

H Spraul
clerk

Peter Butz

Edmund Carroll

Filed November 6th 1898

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

6th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

48

Edmund Carrall

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Edmund Carroll

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

the Queen of Great Britain &c.

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of

Nov.

A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sproule
Clerk

his
Edmund Carrall
mark

Samuel Clark

Filed November 6 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Samuel Clark*
of *Wales* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twentieth* day of *January* A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Circuit Court of the U.S. for the W.D. Pa.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Samuel Clark* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *10* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

his
Samuel Clark
mark

I, *Evan Jones* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Samuel Clark* resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November* A. D. 1848, }

his
Evan Jones
mark

*Certificate of Declaration
of Samuel Glass H.*

Jan'y. 20th 1844.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify and attest
that the within and foregoing is a true and
correct copy of the original as the same
appears in the records of the Court.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, **Edward Jones Roberts**, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Western District Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the *twentieth* — day of *January* — A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, *Samuel Clark* — a native of Wales, came before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *twentieth* — day of *January* — A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-eighth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

William Court

Filed November 6 1848

For a full and complete description of this property see the
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Sixth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

William Corwell — a native of *England*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *William Corwell* a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8* } *Wm. Corwell.*
COR.

Oliver Crawford

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, }SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Oliver Crawford*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *Third* day of *October*
A. D., 18*46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of*
the Cir Court of U.S. for this Dist. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Gr B. & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Oliver Crawford* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Oliver^{his} *Crawford*
mark

I, *Patrick McCallough* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Oliver*
Crawford resides in *Allegheny Leoda*, all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Patrick McCallough



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

of Pennsylvania do hereby Certify that on the
of the United States for the Western District
Clerk of the District Court

his intention to renounce and to forsake all allegiance and
fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and to the United States of America
and to declare his intention of
becoming a citizen of the United States
and to declare his intention of
becoming a citizen of the United States

thousand and no more
of the United States
and of the Independent
of the United States
of the United States
of the United States

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts*, Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Third — day of *October* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Six *Abner Crawford* —
a native of *Ireland* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Third* — day of *October* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*Six* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-first —

E. J. Roberts. Clerk.

Michael Pawley

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

day of

} *act.*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Michael Crowley

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Michael Crowley*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*

day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

H Spruill
clerk

Michael Crowley
mark

Edward Cullen

Helena Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} set.

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Edward Cullen

a native of Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Edward Cullen, a native of Ireland, and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 6th

day of Nov

Cor.

A. D. 1848

Wm Spruick
Clerk

Edward Cullen

Patrick Cunningham

Filed November 6 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Patrick Cumming*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain + Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *12th* day of *October*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Allegheny Co Pa* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Patrick Cumming* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain + Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov.* A. D. 184*8* }

Patrick Cumming
his
mark

I, *Henry Stafford* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Patrick Cumming* resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

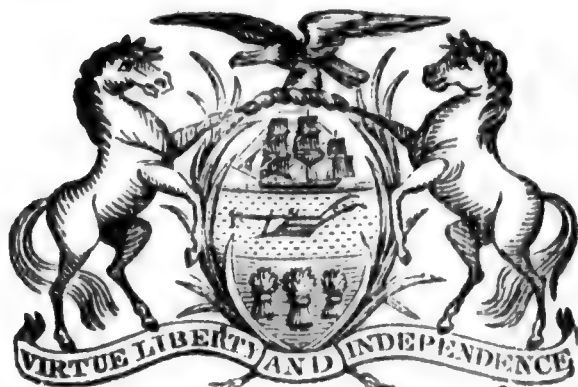
Henry Stafford

Patrick Cunningham

Certificate of
Declaratory of Int
~~Naturalization~~

Feb 12. 1844

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I,

Prothonotary of the

Court of Common Pleas

of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *12th*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four*.

Patrick Cunningham

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of the

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *12th*

day of *October* Anno Domini 18*44* and

of the Independence of the United States the *69th*

Chas. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Clemens Dault

Yuba Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Clemens Daur a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Clemens Daur* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *the King of Byron* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Byron — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W. Sprout
clerk

Clemens Daur

John Wendell Deslin

Filed 6th Nov. 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Hendrick Dedler a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Hendrick Dedler* a native of *Germany* do swear, that and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron* it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the King of Byron* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th* day of *Nov^r* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. D. Sprague
clerk

Johann Grunzig J. M. M.

Christian Church

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Christian Doush

a native of *France*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Christian Doush*

a native of

France

and heretofore a subject of *the King of France* do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Government of France

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November*

A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruell
Chell

his
Christian Doush
Mark

Petition of
Joseph Greenway
John Doerrman

Worship
Joseph Greenman

Filed Nov 6 1828

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Drennan* of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Drennan* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

John Drennan

W. Sprout
clerk

I, *Joseph Drennan* of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *John Drennan* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *Indin Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *sixth*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

Joseph Drennan

W. Sprout
clerk

Religion of
Edward Edwards

Worship
Aunt Lomis

Filed Nov. 6th 1848

pas

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Edward Edwards of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Wales and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on 10th day of February 1844

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States of Pennsylvania appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Edward Edwards do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th day of Nov^r 1848
H. Spraul
clerk

Edward Edwards

I Daniel Jones do swear, that the

petitioner Edward Edwards has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Edwards has resided in Allegheny
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th Nov^r 1848
H. Spraul
clerk

Daniel Jones

*Certificate of Declaration
of Edward Edwards.
Feb. 10th 1844.*

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, **Edward Jones Roberts**, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Western District Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the *ten*th day of *February* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, *Edward Edwards* a native of Wales, came before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *ten*th day of *February* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-eighth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Joseph Omerly

Filed Nov. 6th 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Joseph Emerick

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Joseph Emerick* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *the Government of Germany* — do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Government —

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

Henry J. Jennings

George England

Filed November 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *George England*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

England

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *George England*, the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of Nov — }
A. D. 1848

George England

I, *John Cartwright* of _____ the petitioner above named,
do swear that
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
7 day of November }
Anno Domini 1848

John Cartwright

William Egmont

Given Nov. 6th 1645

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

William Eigenmann a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Eigenmann* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *the King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W Sprout
clerk

W Eigenmann

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Evans Evans

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Evan Evans a native of *Wales*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Evan Evans* a native of *Wales*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 6th
day of November A. D. 1848 }

COR.

Evan Evans

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James Padigan

Filia November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Sixth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

James Padigan a native of
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *James Padigan* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }
COR.

James *his* *Padigan*
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mark

Saml Parr.

Filed November 6 1843

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Samuel Fair*
of *Ireland*
native of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *seventeenth* day of *October*
A. D., 18*46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny Co Pa* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Samuel Fair* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Samuel Fair

I, *Thos O'Neil* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Samuel Fair* resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Thos O'Neil

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.



I,

George R. Riddle

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *17th*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *forty six* *Samuel Gary*

a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *17th*

day of *October* Anno Domini 18*46* and of

the Independence of the United States, the *11th*

Geo R Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

John H. Freeman

Filed November 6 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of John W. Seeman —

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

King of Prussia —

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, J. W. Seeman the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the King of Prussia —
whereof I was heretofore a subject

John W. Seeman
mark

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November }
A. D. 1848

I, Jacob Myers of Pittsburgh
do swear that J. W. Seeman the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6th day of November }

Anno Domini 1848

Jacob Myers

Spoken of
Lewis Fisher

Vancouver
Isle Lehman

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Lewis Fisher* " " of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Württemberg*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *20th day of September 1845*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County* appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Württemberg*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Lewis Fisher* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Württemberg*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6 day of Nov 1845*
W. Spruill, Clerk

Lewis Fisher

petitioner *Lewis Fisher* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Lewis has resided in Allegheny
County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

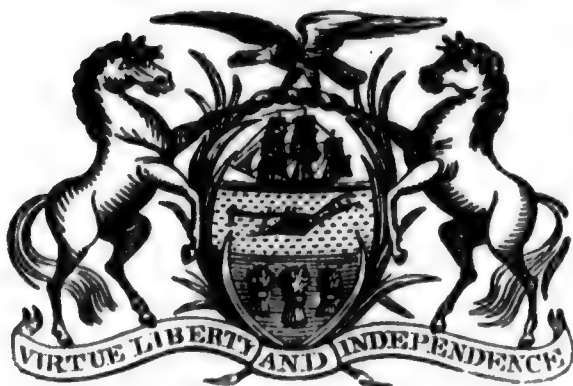
Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of November*
1845 *W. Spruill*
Clerk

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Set.



I,

Geo. R. Riddle

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *20*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty five*.

John Micher

a native of

King of Württemberg

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Württemberg*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *20th*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*45* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *20*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Frederick Holmer

Filed Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *24th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Fredrick Holmer —

a native of *Germany* —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Fredrick Holmer* — a native of *Germany* —

and heretofore a subject of *the Government of Germany* — do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Government of Germany* — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*

day of *Nov^r*

A. D. 1848 }

Cor.

H. Sprue

Fredrick Holmer

~~Michael~~
Michael Fox

~~Voucher~~
Jacob Vatter

Filed Nov 6 1848

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UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Gorp* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *20th day of October 1843*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter
Sessions of Allegheny County* appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Gorp* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of Novr.*
1848 *H. Spraul*
clerk

Michael Gorp

petitioner *Michael Gorp* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *late fallen Michael Gorp* has
resided in Allegheny County

Jacob Matter

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of Novr.*
1848 *H. Spraul*
clerk

Jacob Matter

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Declaration

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Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
State of Pennsylvania,

I *Thomas Garley* Clerk
of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and
for the County of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Monday*
the *23^d*, day of *October* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Three* personally
came before me, *Michael Hoy*

a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the
King of Prussia and having been duly sworn according to
law, made his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the
United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all alle-
giance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *23^d*. day of *October* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Three* and of the
Independence of the United States, the

ATTEST,

Thomas Garley Clerk.

Henry W. Freeman.

Filed November 6 1848,

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Henry H. Seeman*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

King of Prussia

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *Henry H. Seeman* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject

King of Prussia
Henry H. Seeman

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *Jacob Meyers* of *Pittsburgh*
do swear that *H. H. Seeman* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6th day of *November*

Anno Domini 184 *8*

Jacob Meyers

Sawle Hunt

6th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Jacob Franz — a native of *Germany* — came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

Jacob Franz a native of *Germany* — and heretofore a subject of *The Prince of Hesse* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Prince of Hesse* — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Spaul
clerk

Jacob Franz

James Furrelly

Yuba Nov 6th 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

James Farley

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *James Jurelly*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

James Jurelly
W. Spruill
Clerk

William Graham

Filed November 6 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *William Graham*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *William Graham* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain Ireland*
William Graham
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov*
A. D. 184

I, *David L. Anderson* of _____
do swear that *Wm Graham* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6 day of *November*
Anno Domini 184 *8*

D L Anderson

Patrick Gellucke

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Patrick Gillick a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Patrick Gillick* — a native of *Ireland* —
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sproule
clerk

Patrick Gillick
mark

John Green.

Filed November 6 1828,

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Green*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Prussia*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Green* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty; whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
Guillaume Maxim
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *Leonard Lander* of *Pittsburgh*
do swear that *John Green* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6 day of *November*

Anno Domini 184 *8*

Leonard Lander

Petition of
Jacob H. Gutchy

Voucher
Albert G. Bille

Filed November 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Jacob G. Gutchey* of *Westmoreland Co.*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *26 August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then ~~Clerk of the~~ *Prothonotary of*
the Court of common Pleas Westmoreland County Pa appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Jacob G. Gutchey do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* Nov 1848.

W. Spraul
clerk *Alfred S. Bell* do swear, that the
petitioner *Jacob G. Gutchey* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Jacob G. Gutchey* has resided
in Alleghenone and Lawrence

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* Nov 1848.

W. Spraul *Alfred S. Bell*

WESTMORELAND COUNTY, } SS.
State of Pennsylvania.

I *Dand Tuelwood* Prothonotary of the Court of
Common Pleas of Westmoreland County, in the commonwealth
of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify that, at a Court of Common
Pleas held at Greensburgh, in and for said county of West-
moreland, on the *20th* day of *August* A. D., 18*44*
Before the Honorable the Judges thereof *Jacob J.*
Guetschey a native of *Germany*
now a resident of *West North Branch* township, in
Westmoreland county, came into Court, and
filed the declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the
United States agreeably to the provision of the acts of Congress

of the United States in such case made and provided as follows:

"I *Jacob J. Guetschey* a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of *Wilhelm King of Wurttemberg in Germany* do *swear* that it is
bona fida my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and that I do hereby renounce
and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly I do hereby renounce and abjure forever, allegiance and fidelity to
Wilhelm King of Wurttemberg in Germany whereof I was heretofore
a subject," which is entered upon the records of our same Court. In testimony whereof, I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court at my Office, in Greensburgh,
this *Third* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty eight*

Dand Tuelwood Prothonotary.

Wilhelm Haussmann

6 Nov. 1848.

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sec.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Wilhelm Haukman

a native of

Germany —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Wilhelm Haukman*

a native of

Germany —

and heretofore a subject of *the Government of Germany* — do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty

whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Government of Germany

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of *November* A. D. 18*48* }

Wilhelm Struckmeyer

Cor.

H. Spruce
Clall

Wm. Harper

Filed Nov. 6th 1848.

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight* —

Herman Hepper — a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Herman Hepper* — a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *the Prince of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Prince of Hesse — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *Nov^r* — A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Spraul
Clerk

Hermann Hepper

Clement Wenger

Filed November 6 1868

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of Clement Henger
of Germany ———— HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of Germany ———— and was heretofore a subject of the
Prince of Hesse ————

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the fifteenth day of July
A. D., 18 44 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the Clerk of the Court of Dist. of Allegheny Co appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Prince of Hesse ———— whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Clement Henger do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November A. D. 1848 }

Christian J. Henger

I, Peter Kauf ———— do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said Clement Henger resides in Allegheny Co all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November A. D. 1848 }

John H. Davis

Aug

Wiemers Mengers
Declaration Certificate,

1860 (part)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, **Thomas Harley** Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on **Monday** the **15th** day of **July**
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and **forty four** personally came before me,

Clemens Wenger a native of **Germany**
and heretofore a subject of the **First Hon Wochensaller**
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the **First Hon Wochensaller**
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this **15th** day of **July** in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and **forty four** and of the Independence of the United States, the **Sixty Eighth**

ATTEST

Thomas Harley Clerk.

Petition of
John Henry

Vouches
Henry Stuckley

Filed 6th Nov. 1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Henry*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Henry*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Wurttemberg* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8* *W. Sprout*
Clk

John Henry
Mark

I, *Henry Anshutz*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *one year in this State prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

Henry Anshutz

Petition
of
Matthias Hesse

(Touched
John M. Hauch

Filed November 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Mathias Herge* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Nassau*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *11th Jan 1843*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *court of Quarter Sessions*
of Allegheny County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prince of Nassau*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Mathias Herge* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Nassau*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th November*
1848

Mathias Herge

W. Spruill
clerk *John A. Hauch* do swear, that the
petitioner *Mathias Herge* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *in Allegheny County*
Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 1848*

John Hauch

W. Spruill
clerk

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } *Sct.*



I, *John Young Jr* Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *Eleventh* day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *forty three* *Matthias Stige* a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Nassau* ~~Thomas Francis~~ came before ~~me~~, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Nassau* whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *Twelfth* day of *November* Anno Domini, 18 *43* and of the Independence of the United States, the seventy *three*

John Young Jr Clerk.

Nicholas Hipner.

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *twelfth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Nicholas Hipner a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Nicholas Hipner* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the ~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~ do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever, and particularly to renounce, and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*.
COR.

Nikolaus Hipner

Michael Koch

Filed November 6 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Michael Hoch

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

King of Bavaria

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Michael Hoch

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
King of Bavaria
Michael Hoch
Peter Hoch

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November
A. D. 1848

I,

Peter Hoch

of

do swear that

Michael Hoch

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6th day of November

Anno Domini 1848

Peter Hoch

Michael Hopp or Huff

Filed November 6th
1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight
Mike Hoff a native of Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Michael Hoff — a native of Germany —
and heretofore a subject of the King of Byron do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
King of Byron — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 6th
day of Nov — A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spraul
Clerk

Wm. J. T. Tinsley

David Hopkins.

Filed November 6th 1848.

in the West of

the United States
of District and

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

David Hopkins a native of Wales
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, David Hopkins a native of Wales
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 6th
day of November A. D. 1848

COR.

David Hopkins
his
mark

Petition of
Frederic Hauskolden

Warden
Isaac Walker

Filed Nov. 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Fredrick Hausholder* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *France* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of the French*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *8th day of October 1874*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter
Sessions of Allegheny County* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of France*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Fredrick Hausholder* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of France*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of November*
1878 *H. Spaul* *clerk*

Frederick Hausholder
Isaac Walker

petitioner *Fredrick Hausholder* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Hausholder has resided in Allegheny County

all, of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of Nov^r*
1878 *H. Spaul* *clerk*

Isaac Walker

Fredrick Henschel's

California

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I *Thomas Parley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Tuesday* the *8th* day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty four* personally came before me.

Frederick Householder a native of *France*

and heretofore a subject of the *King of France*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of France*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *Eighth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixth* month.

ATTEST,

Thomas Parley
Clerk.

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John Hill

St. Helena Nov: 6th 1846

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} set.

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

John Hul

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, John Hul

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of King of Saxony do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Saxony whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th day of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spruce
Clerk

Gesammend Engel

George Smith

Filed November 6 1828,

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *George Huth*
of *Germany*
native of *King of Prussia*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *thirtieth* day of *April*
A. D., 18 *46*, your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Franklin County* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Huth*, do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

George Huth

I, *Adam Fogel* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in _____ all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

Adam Fogel

To the Hon. the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of

FRANKLIN COUNTY PENNSYLVANIA.

THE REPORT OF *George Huth* of the *Township of Quincey* in said County, respectfully sets forth, that his name is *George Huth* that he was born in *Bayreuth* in *Bararia* on the *22^d* day of *March* one thousand *Eight* hundred and *twenty two* that he was *twenty four* years of age on the *twenty second* day of *March* last, that he owes allegiance to *Louis King of Bararia*

that he emigrated to the United States of America from *Brehmin* on the *15* day of *May* one thousand eight hundred and *forty* landed at *Baltimore* on the *27th* day of *July* following. *Where he resided for about Eighteen months* *Whence he removed to Quincey Town* *Ship in Franklin County where he has con* *tinued to reside*

PENNSYLVANIA,

Franklin County, SS:

Personally appeared before me the Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Franklin County *George Huth* above named and being duly sworn according to law did depose and say that it is **bona fide** his intention to become a citizen of the United States of America, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty, whatever and particularly to *Louis King of Bararia* whose subject he at this time is

Sworn and Subscribed before

me the *13* day of *Apr* 184*6*

Thomas P. Baird Prothonotary.

PENNSYLVANIA,

Franklin County, SS: *Thomas P. Baird*

I, ~~Matthias Neud~~, Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Franklin County, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy from the record.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at Chambersburg, the *13* day of *April* one thousand eight hundred and forty *Six*

Thomas P. Baird Prothonotary.

Petition of
Daniel Feiler

Wm. Hughes

Filed 6th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Daniel Giles* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Malis* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *five years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *20th day of January 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court* *County of*
Allegheny appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Daniel Giles* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of Nov: 1845*
H Spraul
clerk

his
Daniel Giles
Mark

petitioner *Daniel Giles* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Dan^l has resided in Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th day of Nov:*
H Spraul
clerk

William Hughes

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss:

I, Hempstead Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United
States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, do hereby Cer-
tify that on the 20th January day of
January A. D. one thousand eight hundred and

forty four
David J. Jiles

a native of Wales came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citi-
zen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance
to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance
and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof he
was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said
Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this 20th day of January
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty four and of the Independence of the
United States the seventy-Three

H. Spraul Clerk.

Evans Jones.

Filed November 6 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Evan Jones*
of *Wales* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *second* day of *March*
A. D., 18*46*, your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Cir Court of the U.S. W. & P.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Evan Jones* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November* A. D. 184*6* }

Evan Jones

I, *William Hughes* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Evan Jones* resides in *Allegheny Port* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

William Hughes

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March 2^d 1846

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *E. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
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of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Second — day of *March* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *Evan Jones* —
a native of *Wales* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Second* — day of *March* — A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-six and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the Twentieth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

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TO THE
HONORABLE
THE
JUDGES
OF THE
SUPREME
COURT
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BRITAIN
AND
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John Jones

Filed November 6 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Jones*
of *Wales* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twenty ninth* day of *January* A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the* *U.S. for this District* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Jones* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

John Jones

I, *William Hughes* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John Jones* resides in *Allegheny Co. Pa.* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

William Hughes

*Certificate of Declaration
of John Jones.*

Jan 7. 29th 1844.

United States the 29th of Jan^y.

I, John Jones, do hereby declare that I am a native born citizen of the United States and of the Independence

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and I have sworn to support the Constitution of the United States

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward Jones Roberts*, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Western District Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the *twenty ninth* day of *January* — A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, *John Jones* — a native of Wales, came before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *twenty ninth* day of *January* — A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-eighth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Tom H. Jones.

Tellid November 6th 1848,

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } **SS.**

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Wm H. Jones*
of *Wales* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Wales* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twenty seventh* day of *January*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Cir Court of the U.S. for this Dist appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wm H. Jones* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

William H Jones

I, *Evan Evans* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Wm*
H. Jones resides in *Angler Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

Evan Evans

Certificate of Declaration
of William M. Jones.

Jan 7 27. 1844.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, **Edward Jones Roberts**, Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Western District Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the *twenty seventh* day of *January* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, *William D. Jones* a native of Wales, came before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *twenty seventh* day of *January* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-eighth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

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Filed Nov 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Thomas Ray* of *Alleghen*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *3^d Nov 1846*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court*
of the United States Western District of Pa appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Thomas Ray* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 1848* }

Thomas Ray

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sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said
in Allegheny County

James Teasdale do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
five years, and within the State of Penn-
Thomas Ray has resided

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th November*
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James Teasdale

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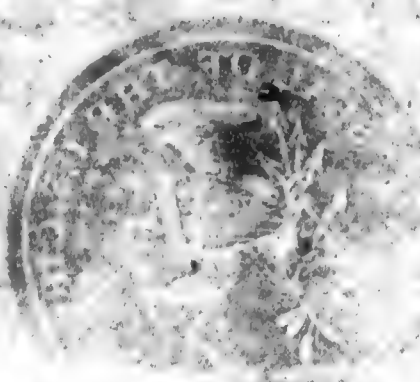
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Western District of Pennsylvania

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Clerk of the Circuit Court

of Pennsylvania do hereby Certify that on the

day of

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-

and of the said Court, and declared his intention

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
thir ——— day of *November* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *Thomas May* —
a native of *England* ——— came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *thir* ——— **day of** *November* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *six* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy- *first* **.**

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

James Reams

November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

James Rains a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *James Rains* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8* } *James Rains*
COR.

Gift of
Jeta Kauff

Voucher
Clement Kauffman

Given 6th November 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Peter Kauff* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *13th day of August 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County* appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Peter Kauff* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th November*
1848 *W. C. Sproul*
clerk

Yakub B. Bump

petitioner *Peter Kauff* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Peter Kauff has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th November*
1848 *W. C. Sproul*
clerk

James M. Sproul

1844

Peter Kauff

Certificate

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ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set,

I,

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY of the

Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Monday* the
12th day of *August* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*

Peter Kauff

a native of

Germany

and heretofore

a subject of the

King of Bavaria

came before

me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Bavaria* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *twelfth* day of *August* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *69th*

ATTEST:

"Peter Kauff"

Geo. R. Riddle
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Charles Herr

Filed Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Charles Kerr

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Charles Kerr*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of November

A. D. 1848

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H. Sprual
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Charles Kerr
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William Rorgan.

Filed November 6 1887

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Wm Kingan*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *24th* day of *November*
A. D., 18 *48* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Superior Court of the City of New York appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wm Kingan* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

William Kingan

I, *John Frank* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in *all of*
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

John Frank
for Wm Kingan
make

NEW-YORK SUPERIOR COURT.

Certificate, &c. of the Declaration of Intention.

William Kirgan,

TO BECOME

A Citizen of the United States.

OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

DO hereby certify that the within and foregoing Declaration of Intention of the said *William Kirgan* has been duly read and approved by the Court, and that the same has been duly recorded in the Office of the Clerk of the Court, and that the same is now on file in the Office of the Clerk of the Court.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and the Seal of the Court, at New-York, this 12th day of May, 1881.

Wm. Kirgan

**SUPERIOR COURT
OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.**

I,

William Kirgan

DO declare, on oath, that it is my *bona fide* intention to become A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and to renounce for ever all allegiance and fidelity to any Foreign Prince, Potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to the

Britain & Ireland

Queen of Great

of whom I am now a subject.

SWORN this *Sixth* day
of *November* 184*3* }

(Signed)

Clerk.

J. Oakley

William Kirgan

I, JESSE OAKLEY, Clerk of the Superior Court of the City of New-York, do Certify, that the above is a true copy of the original declaration of intention of *William Kirgan* to become a Citizen of the United States, remaining of record in my office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the Seal of the said Court, the *Sixth* day of *November* one thousand eight hundred and forty-*three*



J. Oakley Clerk.

James Kelly

Filed 6th Nov. 1848

UNITED STATES, .

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

6th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

James Kelly

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, James Kelly

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

the Queen of Great Britain

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of

November

A. D. 1846

Cor.

H. Sprule
Clerk

James Kelly

George Kesner

Filed Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

George Kisser a native of *Germany* —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *George Kisser* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of *Prince of Hesse* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Prince of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *Nov.* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Spruill
clerk

George Kisser

George Hess

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

}
sect.

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

George Kress

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, George Kress

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

the Prince of Prussia

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the Prince of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sprunt
Clerk

George Kress

Christian Yuhn

Filed Nov^r 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Christian Kuhn a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Christian Kuhn a native of Germany do swear, that and heretofore a subject of Prince of Saxe Coburg it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Prince of Saxe Coburg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 6th day of Nov^r A. D. 1845

Cor.

W. Sproul
clerk

Christian Kuhn

Petition
of J. Rupp

Wm. J. Rupp

Feb 6 1848

(1000)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of

John Karp

of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *24th October 1845*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of the*
the U.S. West Dist of Pa appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I,

John Karp

do swear that the facts set forth in this

my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 1845*

W. Spruill
Clerk

John Cornick

do swear, that the

petitioner *John Karp* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Karp has resided in Allegheny*

County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 1845*

W. Spruill
Clerk

John Cornick

Oct. 21st 1845.

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*Certification of
Declaration of Intention
of John [Name]*

Oct. 24th 1845.

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above named John [Name] has declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

A. D. one

John

I, D. [Name], Clerk of the Court, do hereby certify that the above named John [Name] has declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

John

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above named John [Name] has declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States.

John [Name]

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twenty fourth day of *October* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
five — *John Keefe* —
a native of *Ireland* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twenty fourth* day of *October* — A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*five*, and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the *Seventeenth*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

James McDonald

Filled November 6 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

James McDonald
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of Scotland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, James McDonald the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the ~~Queen~~ *James M. Donald* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November }
A. D. 1848

I, William Haman of Pittsburgh
do swear that James McDonald the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6th day of November }
Anno Domini 1848

Wm Haman

William M. Fadden

Filed Nov: 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th*

day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

William Mc Gaddin a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Wm Mc Gaddin*

a native of *Ireland* —

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Gt Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Gt Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. G. G. Clark

his
William Mc Gaddin
mark

Paid to of
James M^cFarlane

Voucher
J^m Gilmore

6th Nov^r 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James M. Garland* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *12th day of September 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *the Court*

appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James M. Garland* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Novr 1848*
H. Speak
Clk

James M. Garland
mark

petitioner *James M. Garland* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *James, has resided in Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Novr 1848*
H. Speak
Clk

H. Speak

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of
James W. Farland

Sept. 12th 1874.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the *Twelfth* — day of *September* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* *James (Jr) Farland* — a native of *Ireland* — came before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention, *bona fide*, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this* *Twelfth* — day of *September* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the Independence of the United States the sixty-*ninth*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Petition
of
John McGraw

Witness William McGraw

Filed Nov 6 1848

(200)

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John McGraw*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *John McGraw*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

John McGraw
W. Spraul
clerk

I, *William McGraw* of *Allegheny Co*

do swear that *John McGraw* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6th day of *November*
Anno Domini 1848

William McGraw
W. Spraul
clerk

Philip M Guire

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

6th

day of

November —

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Philip M Guire

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Philip M Guire

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

the Queen of Great Britain &c

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of

Nov

A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. C. Sproule
Clerk

his
Philip M Guire
Mark

Petition
of
James McLaren

Vouches
Seth Matthews

Filed Nov 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James McLaren* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *9th Oct 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Prothonotary*
of the court of common pleas Allegheny Co appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James McLaren* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 84* }
W. Sprue
clerk

James McLaren

petitioner *James McLaren*
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year: that is to say, he, the said *James McLaren* has resided
in Allegheny County

John Matthews do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6 Nov 1846* }

W. Sprue
clerk

John Matthews

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, *Sct.*
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I, *George R. Riddle*

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *9th*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *eighty six* *James M'Saren*

a native of *Scotland* and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *9th*
day of *October* Anno Domini *1886* and
of the Independence of the United States the *7th*

Geo R Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Jos M^r Miller

Abel & Bell

Filed Nov 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James McMillan* of *Westmoreland County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *18 May 1848*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then *Clerk of the Prothonotary of*
the court of common pleas Westmoreland County Pa appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James McMillan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* Nov 1848 }

James McMillan

W. Spruill
petitioner *James McMillan* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

James McMillan has resided
in Westmoreland County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* Nov 1848 }

Albert G. Bell

W. Spruill

WESTMORELAND COUNTY, } SS.
State of Pennsylvania.

I *Dand Tuelord* Prothonotary of the Court of
Common Pleas of Westmoreland County, in the commonwealth
of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify that, at a Court of Common
Pleas held at Greensburgh, in and for said county of West-
moreland, on the 18th day of *MAY* A. D., 18*46*
Before the Honorable the Judges thereof

James M. McEllan a native of *Ireland*
now a resident of *Westmoreland* township, in
county, came into Court, and
filed the declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the
United States agreeably to the provision of the acts of Congress

of the United States in such case made and provided, as follows:

"I *James M. McEllan* a native of *Ireland* and heretofore
a subject of *Victoria Queen of Ireland* do *Swear* that it is
bona fida my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and that I do hereby renounce
and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly I do hereby renounce and abjure forever, allegiance and fidelity to
Victoria Queen of Great Britain and Ireland whereof I was heretofore
a subject," which is entered upon the records of our same Court. In testimony whereof, I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court at my Office, in Greensburgh,
this *Thurs* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty sixth*

Dand Tuelord Prothonotary.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY, } SS.
State of Pennsylvania.

I *Dand Tueland* Prothonotary of the Court of
Common Pleas of Westmoreland County, in the commonwealth
of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify that, at a Court of Common
Pleas held at Greensburgh, in and for said county of West-
moreland, on the *18th* day of *May* A. D., 18*46*
Before the Honorable the Judges thereof

James M. McLean a native of *Ireland*
now a resident of *Warren* township, in
Westmoreland county, came into Court, and
filed the declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the
United States agreeably to the provision of the acts of Congress

of the United States in such case made and provided, as follows:

"I *James M. McLean* a native of *Ireland* and heretofore
a subject of *Victoria Queen of England* do *Swear* that it is
bona fida my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and that I do hereby renounce
and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly I do hereby renounce and abjure forever, allegiance and fidelity to
Victoria Queen of Great Britain and Ireland whereof I was heretofore
a subject," which is entered upon the records of our same Court. In testimony whereof, I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court at my Office, in Greensburgh,
this *Thurs* day of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty eight*

Dand Tueland Prothonotary.

James McTalis

Sept. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 6th

day of November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

James McMalis

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *James McMalis*

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of

the Queen of Gt Britain &c

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

the Queen of Gt Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

6th

day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clk

James McMalis
mark

James Cressingham

Filed November 6 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

James McSwiggan

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, James McSwiggan

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

James McSwiggan

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6 day of November
A. D. 1848

I, Felix McSwiggan of Pittsburgh
do swear that James McSwiggan the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6 day of November
Anno Domini 1848

Felix McSwiggan

Thomas Cactuzza

Filed November 6 1878

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Thomas McSwiggan*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Thomas McSwiggan* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Thomas McSwiggan

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

I, *Julia McSwiggan* of *Pittsburgh*
do swear that *Thomas McSwiggan* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6 day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

Julia McSwiggan
Mark

Petition, of
Robert Hatchell

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Robert Hatchell

Filed Nov 6 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Robert Matchell of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that Two years prior to this application,

that is to say, on 11th day of October 1844
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Quarter
Sessions of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Robert Matchell do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th Nov 1848

W. Spradley
Clerk

Robert Matchell

petitioner
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
years, and within the State of Penn-

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th Nov 1848

W. Spradley
Clerk

Robert F. Hop

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Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

I, *Thomas Harley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Friday* the *11th* day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,
Robert Heatch a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*,
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *11th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Ninth*

ATTEST

Thomas Harley

Clerk.

John Moore.

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Moore*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fifth* day of *July*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Allegheny Co. Pa. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Moore* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
& *Ireland* — of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov.* A. D. 184 *8*

John Moore

I, *John Musgrave* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John*
Moore resides in *Allegheny Co. Pa.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov.* A. D. 184 *8*

John Musgrave

John Moore's
Declaration Certificate

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Allegheny County, } **Sct.**
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Friday* the 5th day of *July*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

John Moore a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *5th* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Henry Crosshead

Filed November 6 1848.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT

FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Henry Moorhead

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Henry Moorhead

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the

Queen of Great B. & Ireland
Henry Moorhead

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

I,

Adam Wilson

of

Pittsburgh

do swear that

Henry Moorhead

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6 day of *November*

Anno Domini 184 *8*

Adam Wilson

Frederick Mottson

Giles Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} act.

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Fredrick Molthau — a native of *Germany* —

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Fredrick Molthau* a native of *Germany* —

and heretofore a subject of *the Government of Germany* — do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Government of Germany whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*

day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

Cor.

W Sprout
Clark

Fredrick Molthau

John Murphy

Ydun Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

John Murphy a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Murphy* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c.* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*5* } *John Murphy*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clk

Petition of
Jacob, Nitt

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Jacob Nett* of *Westmoreland County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Westmouland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *25 February 1839*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then *Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas Westmoreland County* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Westmouland*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jacob Nett* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Westmouland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* Nov 1848

Jacob Nett

W. Spradley

Albert G. Ball

petitioner *Jacob Nett* do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Jacob Nett* has resided in
Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* Nov 1848

W. Spradley

Albert G. Ball

WESTMORELAND COUNTY, } SS.
State of Pennsylvania.

I *Dana Fullard* Prothonotary of the Court of
Common Pleas of Westmoreland County, in the commonwealth
of Pennsylvania, do hereby certify that, at a Court of Common
Pleas held at Greensburgh, in and for said county of West-
moreland, on the *23rd* day of *February* A. D., 18*89*

Before the Honorable the Judges thereof

Jacob Nett a native of *Germany*

now a resident of *Smith Township* township, in

Westmoreland county, came into Court, and
filed the declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the
United States agreeably to the provision of the acts of Congress

of the United States in such case made and provided as follows:

"I *Jacob Nett* a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of *William King of Wenden in Germany* do *swear* that it is
bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and that I do hereby renounce
and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly I do hereby renounce and abjure forever, allegiance and fidelity to
William King of Wenden in Germany whereof I was heretofore
a subject," which is entered upon the records of our same Court. In testimony whereof, I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court at my Office, in Greensburgh,
this *Third* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *eighty eight*

Dana Fullard Prothonotary.

Henry Oyer

Filed November 6 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Henry

Oyer

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Russia

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Henry

Oyer

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject

King of Prussia

Henry Oyer

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6 day of November
A. D. 1848

I,

Jacob Byerly

of

do swear that

Henry

Oyer

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

6 day of November

Anno Domini 1848

Jacob Byerly

Michael Picket

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Gilead Nov. 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* — in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Michael Pickett

a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Michael Pickett*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*

day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruik
Clk

his
Michael Pickett

Mark

William Flatto

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *William Platts*
of *England*
native of *Queen of Great B. & Ireland*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *nineteenth* day of *September*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of *Allegheny Co Pa* appears — ~~appears~~; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *William Platts* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November* A. D. 184 *8* }

Wm Platts
crank

I, *John Siddons* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *William*
Platts resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

John Siddons

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set,

I, *George R. Ruddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Thursday* the
19— day of *September* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*

William Platts

a native of *England* and heretofore
a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *19*— day of *September* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *69*

ATTEST:

George R. Ruddle

Petition of
John Russell

Wm. Russell
James Russell

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES, } ss.
Western District of Pennsylvania,

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of John Pownall of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of England and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that Two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on 12th January 1846

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, John Pownall,

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th day of November
1848 W. H. Sprague Clerk

John Pownall

petitioner John Pownall do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said John Pownall has resided in
Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th Nov. 1848
W. H. Sprague
Clerk

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James Kerr
Mark

Wm Fennell

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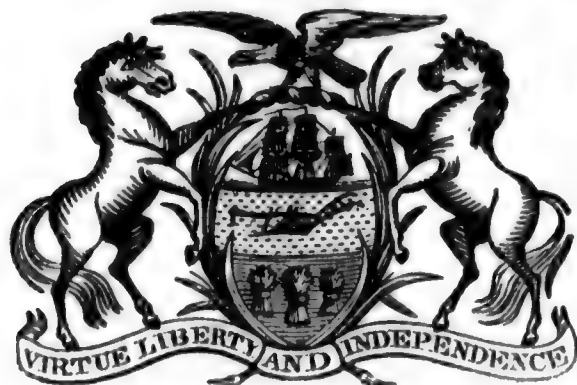
James Kern

W. C. Fair

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } ^{Sct.}

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *12th* day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *forty six*

John Connally
a native of *England* and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *12th* day of *January* Anno Domini 18*46* and of the Independence of the United States, the *7th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Valentine Rigger

St. Louis 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Valentine Riggers

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Valentine Riggers*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

King of Prussia

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. H. Sprague
clerk

Valentine Riggers

Petition
of
George Robinson

Vouches
James Robinson

Filed November 6th
1848

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *George Robinson*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *George Robinson*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

George Robinson

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

W. Sprunt
Clk

I, *James Robinson* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *George Robinson* the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

*6*th day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

James Robinson

W. Sprunt
Clk

Petition of
Mathias Romullfjorden
for
Naturalization

Vouches
Jacob Vatter

Sailed Nov 6 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Mathias Romullfinger* of *Allegheny*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the sixth day of November eighteen hundred and forty six*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Prothonotary of*
the court of common Pleas of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Mathias Romullfinger* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 1848*
1848

Mathias Romullfinger

W. Sprunt
Clerk

Jacob Vatter

do swear, that the

petitioner *Mathias Romullfinger* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Mathias Romullfinger* *has resided*
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Nov 1848*

Jacob Vatter

W. Sprunt
Clerk

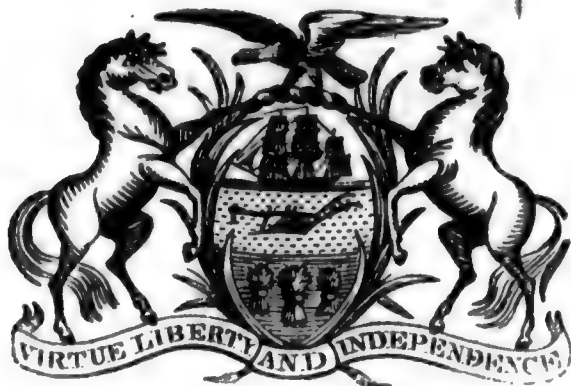
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Certificate of
Declaration of War

Nov: 6/46



The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I,

Geo. R. Riddle
Prothonotary of the *Court of Comm. Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *6*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty six*.

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of the

King of Prussia came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *6*
day of *November* Anno Domini 18 *46* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *7th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY

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of
Bernard Schall

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Leonard Landen

Filed Nov 6th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Bernard Schall*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany.*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *B Schall*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the ~~Government of Prussia~~ *Government of Germany* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Leahy P. Hoff

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Spruill
clerk

I, *Leonard Lander*

of *Allegheny*

do swear that *B Schall* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and one year in the State prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *6th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

Leonard Lander

W. Spruill
clerk

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William Slater

~~W. Slater~~

Much I Walters

Filed Nov. 6 1848

(W. S.)

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of William Slater of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of England and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America for years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on 12 October 1846

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District of Pa. appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, William Slater do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th November 1848

W. Sprague
Clerk

Joseph Waters

Wm Slater

petitioner Wm Slater do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America for years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Wm Slater has resided in
Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th November 1848

W. Sprague
Clerk

Joseph Waters

Herman Spencer

Filed Nov 6th 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th* day of *Nov* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty- *eight*

Harman Sparrer a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Harman Sparrer* — a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *As*

King of Byron —

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*

day of *Nov*

A. D. 18

} *Harman Sparrer*
mark

Cor.

Petition
of
Samuel Stearn.

Worship
Samuel Stearn

Filed Nov 6th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

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The Petition of *Samuel Sloan*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *Samuel Sloan*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, ~~whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland~~ whereof I was heretofore a subject

Samuel Sloan

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of November
A. D. 1848

W. Spraul
clerk

I, *James Scott*

of *Allegheny County*
the petitioner above named,

do swear that

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and in Pennsylvania*
one year prior to this application

Sworn and subscribed, this 6th

day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spraul
clerk

*Certificate of De-
claration of Intention
of William Slater.*

Oct. 12th 1846.

I, the undersigned, do hereby declare that I intend to become a citizen of the United States, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and the laws of the same, and that I will defend the same to the best of my power.

Witness my hand and seal this 12th day of October, 1846.

W. Slater

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts*, Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twelfth — day of *October* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *William Slater* —
a native of *England* — came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twelfth* — day of *October* — A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty- *six* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy- *first*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Sewer Stuffs

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *fourth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty- *eight*
Lewis Stapp — a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Lewis Stapp* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the ~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*
COR.

Levy Haring

Saml D. Stuckfield

Filed November 6 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John D. Stuckfield*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John D. Stuckfield* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

John D. Stuckfield

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *William E. Brown* of _____
do swear that *John D. Stuckfield* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6 day of *November*
Anno Domini 184 *8*

W E Brown

Wm Sumner

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

William Lumm

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Lumm*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov.*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sprue
Clk

William Lumm

Christian Lightner

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *sixth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Christian Tegtmeier a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Christian Tegtmeier* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *6th*
day of *Nov.* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sproul
clerk

Christian Tegtmeier

Jacob Walker.

Filed November 6 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Jacob Walker*
of *Germany* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *King of Wittenberg* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *26th* day of *October*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Deputy Clerk*
of the Court of Allegheny Co. Pa. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *King of Wittenberg*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jacob Walker* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Wittenberg*
Wittenberg of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

Jacob Walker

I, *Michael Sand* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Jacob*
Walker resides in *Allegheny Co. Pa.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

Michael Sand

Jacob Wahrren
Deputation. Cert

Michael
Wahrren

H. W.

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Farley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Saturday the 26th day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and .Forty .Four personally came before me.

Jacob Wacker a native of Germany
and heretofore a subject of the King of Württemberg
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Württemberg
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 26th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty four and of the Independence of the United States, the Sixty Ninth

ATTEST,

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Fredrick Wansford

Jacob Schman

Filed Nov 6th 1848

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UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Frederick Wenseur* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Switzerland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Republic of Switzerland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *nine years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *30th Sept 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *court of common*
pleas of Allegheny Monrovia County Ohio appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Republic of Switzerland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Frederick Wenseur* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Republic of Switzerland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* November
1848

Frederick Wenseur
Wenseur
Jacob Schuman do swear, that the
petitioner *Frederick Wenseur* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Frederick Wenseur*
has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th* November
1848

Wenseur
Wenseur

Jacob Schuman

Meine Mutter
Christiane Sophie
geb. Schmidt

1813-1844

State of Ohio, Monroe County, ss.

Court of Common pleas *Sept. Term*
1844 *I Wm Okey* Clerk of
said court in and for said county, do
certify, that *Frederick Winser* ap-
peared in open Court and declared
on oath that it is *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the Uni-
ted States, and to entirely renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to every Foreign
Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever,
and particularly to *the Republic of Switzerland*
whereof he was a subject.

IN TESTIMONY whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said court at Woodsfield
the 30 day of *Sept* A. D. 1844

Wm Okey Clerk.
Per Enoch M. Morris *Sept Clerk*

John George Wolfe

Filed 6th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *6th*

} *set.*

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

John Geo Wolfe

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Geo Wolfe*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

King of Prussia

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of

Nov.

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sproul
Clk

John Geo Wolfe

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PENN 051NO

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Petition
of
Samuel Aikens

Voucher
Lant Black

Filed Nov 7th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Samuel Atkins* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *12th Oct 1846*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then *Clerk of the Prothonotary*
of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Samuel Atkins* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

Samuel Atkins

H. Sprout
petitioner *Samuel Atkins* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Samuel Atkins* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *11 November*

W. H. Sprout

H. Sprout
blt

Samuel Black

EASTERN DISTRICT }
OF PENNSYLVANIA. } SS.



Be it Remembered,

That on the

of

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty

Personally appeared before me

JOSEPH SIMON COHEN,

Prothonotary of the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania, in and for the

Eastern District,

Samuel Ahrens

a native of

Ireland

and a subject of

Queen of Gt Britain & Ireland

now residing in the

city

Philadelphia, aged

thirty five

years, or thereabouts, who being duly sworn according to law, declared

and says, That it is *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance

and fidelity to any Foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to

Queen of

Britain & Ireland

of whom he is now a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed

my Name, and affixed the Seal of said Supreme Court at Philadelphia

this

Twelfth

day of

October

in

year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty

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Simon Cohen

Prothonotary

UNITED STATES

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

General Land Office

Washington, D.C.

For the purpose of the survey of the land of the United States, the following is the list of the names of the persons who have been employed in the service of the General Land Office, from the year 1860 to the year 1880.

Frederick Packard

Filed November 7 1880

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Frederick Buckert*
of *France* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *France* and was heretofore a subject of the

Government of France
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fifth* day of *July*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Allegheny Pa* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain France* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Frederick Buckert* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of France* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 1848 }

Frederick Buckert

I, *Valentine Guckert* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Frederick Buckert* resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 1848 }

Valentine Guckert

Frederick Backerts

Declaration Certificate

(\$ 1.00 paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Friday* the *5th* day of *July*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Frederick Backert a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of the *King of France*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of France*,
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *5th* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*.

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Petition of
Daniel Black

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Sen. Adkins

Filed Nov 10 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Daniel Black* of *Pittsburg*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years*
that is to say, on *6th December 1844* prior to this application,

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *court of Quarter*
Sessions for Philadelphia County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Daniel Black*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

Daniel Black

petitioner *Daniel Black*
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

in Allegheny County

Samuel Aikin do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
five years, and within the State of Penn-
Daniel Black has resided

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

Samuel Aikin

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D. J. van

United States of America.



State of Pennsylvania,

COUNTY OF PHILADELPHIA, ss.

Be it Remembered, That on this *24th*
day of *December* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and forty-*four* before me, the Clerk of the Court of Quarter

Sessions, for the City and County of Philadelphia, personally appeared

(Daniel Black)
who being duly *sworn* according to law, upon his solemn *oath*
did declare, depose and say, that he is a Native of *Ireland*

now residing in the *County* of Philadelphia, aged *21* —
years, or thereabouts, and that it is BONA FIDE his intention to become a Citizen of
the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Queen
of Great Britain and Ireland, of whom he is now a Subject.

Witness my hand
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the

Seal of said Court, this *30th* day of *October*
in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-*Eight*. (*1848*)

John R. [Signature] CLERK.

Petition
of
James Brown

Warden

Alexander Otterson

Filed Nov 4th 1845

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James Brown* of *Allegheny County*
Pennsylvania,

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Scotland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain + Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the seventh day of November A.D. 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of*

Great Britain + Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Brown* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain + Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of*
November A.D. 1844.

James Brown

W. Spruill Clerk
petitioner *James Brown* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *James Brown*, has resided
one year within the County of Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

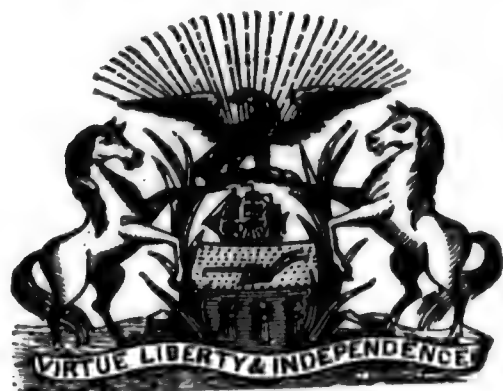
Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of*
November
A.D. 1844

W. Spruill
W. Spruill
Clerk

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.



I, *William Schultz*

Prothonotary of the COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on the *5* day of *October*

in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four*

Brown native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this day of *November* Anno Domini 18*44* and of the Independence of the United States the *7th*

William Schultz

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of
Seneceottu Bonhart

Witness
Henry Gule

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Filed Nov. 7th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of Lorenus Martin Bornhart of Allegheny County

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

France — —

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Lorenus Martin Bornhart* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of France* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 *H Spraul*
clerk

Loranz Martinie Lorenus

I, *Henry Dules* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *L M Bornhart* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceeding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *One year in the state*
prior to the application

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848 *H Spraul*
clerk

James G. Lusk

Petition of
Lawrence Brown

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Nov 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
— — — — — *of the United States* — — — — —
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Lawrence Brown of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland* —

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Lawrence Brown* — — — — — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of *November* }
A. D. 1848 *W. Sprague*
Clark

I, — — — — — of — — — — —
do swear that — — — — — the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
day of *November* }
Anno Domini 1848 *W. Sprague*
Clark

Joshua Boyd

Filed Nov. 7th. 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *set.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*.

Joshua Boyd — a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Joshua Boyd* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *7-*
day of *Nov* — A. D. 18*48* }

Cor.

W. Sproul
clerk

Joshua X Boyd
Mark

Petition of
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Is^d Naylor

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Thomas Boyd of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Thomas Boyd* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Thomas Boyd

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

H. Spraul
clerk

I, *James Reedy*
of *Allegheny County*

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

H. Spraul
clerk

James Reedy
clerk

William Byrne

Filed November 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

William Dyne

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

England

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Wm Dyne

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of
A. D. 184

I,

Robert Dyne

of

do swear that the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

Robert Dyne

William Cartwright

Filia November 7 1788

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *William Cartwright*
of native of *England* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *second* day of *November* A. D., 18 *48* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the, *Clerk of the Circuit Court for this district* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wm Cartwright* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Wm Cartwright

I, *John Cartwright* — do swear, that the Petitioner has resided ~~within the limits and~~ under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Wm Cartwright* resides in *the City of Pittsburgh* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

John Cartwright

Clerk.

gent of the United States the twenty-seventh day of the month of June 1846.

Testimony of the Clerk of the Court of the City of New York.

And whereas the said William Carlwright was born in the County of New York the first day of the month of January 1846.

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *E. J. Roberts*, Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Second — day of *November*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *William Eastwright* —
a native of *England* — came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Second* — day of *November* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-six and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-*first*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Petition of
And^{rs} W. Caspner

Deputy
Law & Herwig
Filed November 10th
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *F. W. Caspucker*
of *Allegheny County*
native of *King of Hannover*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *28th* day of *September*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of the court of common Pleas *Allegheny County* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hannover*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Friedrich W. Caspucker* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Hannover*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*5*

Friedrich Hermann Caspucker

I, *Daniel Herwig* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *F. W. Caspucker* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*5*

Daniel Herwig

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } sct.

I *George Riddle* Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania, do by these presents certify, that on
Saturday the *28* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four*.

Frederick Herman Karstensen
a native of *Germany* and heretofore
came before
a subject of the *King of Hannover*
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, poten-
tate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all
allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Hannover*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the
said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *28* day of *September* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four*
and of the Independence of the United States, the *19*

Attest,

George Riddle

Declaration of Intention

Miles Carr

Filed Nov 4th 1848.

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Miles Carr a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Miles Carr* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
Queen of Great Britain whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Spruill
clerk

Miles Carr
mark

Petition of
John Casey

Voucher
John Casey
Filed November 7th 1848

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGE OF THE ^{Circuit} COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Casey of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Casey*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Sprout
Clerk

John Casey

I, *John Casey*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and in Pennsylvania.*

Sworn and subscribed, this *4th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Sprout
Clerk

John Casey

Edmund of
Ed. Clayton
Edmund Clayton

Walter
Sam. M. Corby

Filed November 7 1868

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Edward Clayton* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *12th day of February 1858*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of the County*

Common Pleas of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore

prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Edward Clayton* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of Novr 1858*
H. H. Smith
clerk

Edward Clayton
his

petitioner *Edward Clayton* I *Saml W. Caskey* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *two* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Edward Clayton* has resided within the limits and under the
Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of Novr 1858*
H. H. Smith
clerk

Saml W. Caskey

I, *Edward Clayton of the town of Commerce*
and County of Orange

Do declare, on oath, that it is *bona fide* my intention to become

A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES,

and to renounce for ever all allegiance and fidelity to all and every Foreign Prince, Potentate, State, and Sovereignty

whatever; and particularly to *Victoria Queen of the*
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland
of whom I am now a Subject

SWORN IN OPEN COURT,

this *12th* day
of *February* 183*8*

Edward Clayton

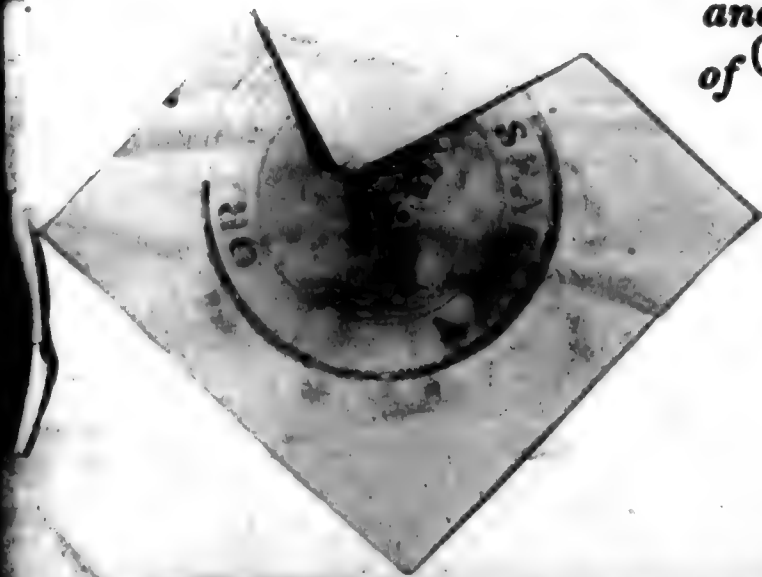
Lebbeus L. Fairbanks
of Orange Com. Plaz

I, *Lebbeus L. Fairbanks of the County*
of Orange

DO Certify, That the above is a true copy of the original declaration of intention of *Edward Clayton* to become a citizen of the United States, remaining of record in my office.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the Seal of the said Court, the *12th* day of *February* one thousand eight hundred and thirty

Lebbeus L. Fairbanks



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Isaac Harris

Filed Nov 4th 84 &

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE ^{Circuit} COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of William Colvin of Allegheny County -

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland* -

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *William Colvin*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Sproul
Clerk

William Colvin
Scotland

I, *Isaac Harris*
do swear that *William Colvin*

of *Pittsburg*

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and in Pennsylvania*
one year previous to this application

Sworn and subscribed, this *4th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Sproul
Clerk

Isaac Harris

John Cousins

Filed Nov. 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *7th* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Conran a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Conran* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *the Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this.

day of *Nov^r*

A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clk

John Conran

Tho Curran

John Coyle
Filed Nov 9th 1848

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Thomas Curran*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Thomas Curran*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three ~~years~~ it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Thomas Curran

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

H. Spruill
clerk

I, *John Boyle*
is Curran

of *Allegheny County*
the petitioner above named,

do swear that
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *has resided in Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

H. Spruill
clerk

John Boyle

Hugh Salzell

Received
G. M. Horton

Filed Nov^r 4th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Hugh Dalzell* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *September 17th 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then *Clerk of the Court of the Supreme Court of Allegheny County*
of *the Supreme Court in Allegheny County* appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
& Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Hugh Dalzell*, do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

W. Spruill
Clerk

Hugh Dalzell

G. M. Harton

petitioner *Hugh Dalzell* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Hugh Dalzell* has resided in *Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

W. Spruill
Clerk

G. M. Harton

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Set.



I, *Amos Laock Pentland*
Prothonotary of the *Supreme Court of Pa. sitting & in*
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *17th*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four*, *Nugb*

Dalzell — a native of *Ireland* — and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland — came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *17th*
day of *September* — Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *Sixty Ninth*.

A. S. Pentland PROTHONOTARY.

David Davis

Feb 7th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November*

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

David Davis a native of *Wales*

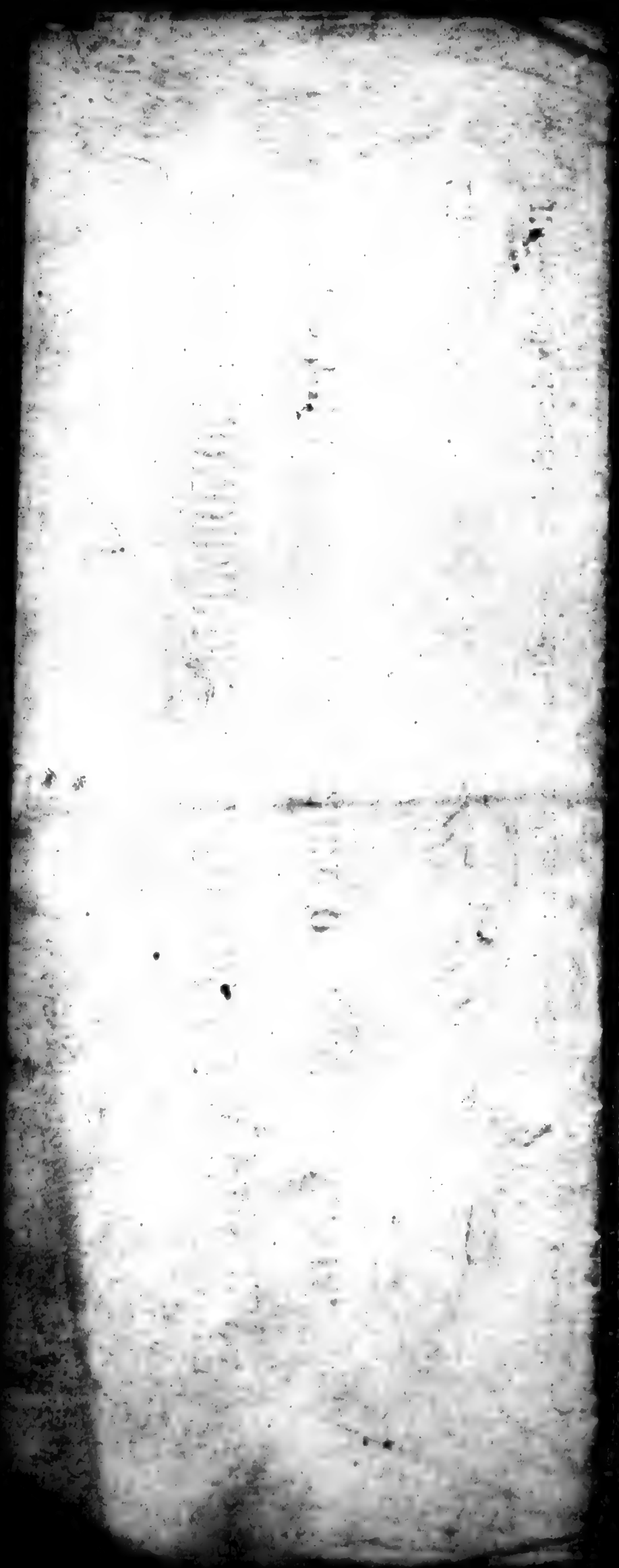
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *David Davis* a native of *Wales*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Queen of Great Britain &c whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*
Cor.

his
David Davis
may

W. Spruill
clerk





TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Shadrack Davis* —

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

England

Queen of Great Britain

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Shadrack Davis* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject *Shadrack Davis*

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8* —

I, *David Morgan* — of —

Shadrack Davis the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

November

Anno Domini 184 *8* —

David Morgan

Andrew Drum

Filed November 7 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Andrew Dunn*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *Andrew Dunn*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Andrew Dunn

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this } day of *Nov* - }
A. D. 184

I, *Jas. Dunn* of

do swear that *Andrew Dunn* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

} day of *Nov*

Anno Domini 1848

} *James Dunn*

Michael Dunn

Filed November 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of Michael Dunn
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of
A. D. 184

Michael Dunn

I, James Brown of the petitioner above named,
do swear that
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

James Brown

Patrick Dunn

Filed November 7 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Patrick Dunn*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *Patrick Dunn* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the

Queen of Great B. Ireland
Patrick Dunn

Sworn and subscribed in open Court, }
this 7th day of *Nov* }
A. D. 1848

I, *John Lawton* of _____
do swear that *Patrick Dunn* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
7th day of *November*
Anno Domini 1848

John Lawton

Cornelius Dueman

Febr 7th Nov. 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} set.

At Pittsburgh, on the 7th day of November in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Cornels Dushman

a native of

Ireland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Cornelius Dushman

a native of

Ireland

and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty

whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the

Queen of Great Britain &c.

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of

November A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spruel
Clerk

Cornels Dushman
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Augustus Ebert

Filed November 7 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Augustus Ebert*
of *Germany*
native of *Prussia of Württemberg*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twelfth* day of *August*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary*
of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Württemberg* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *August Ebert* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

Prussia of Württemberg of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* - A. D. 184*8* }

August Ebert.

I, do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* - A. D. 184*8* }

James T. Trenchard

1844
Augustus Ebert

Certificate
of
Declaration

August 12 1844

Nov 7 1844

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } sct.

I, *Geo. R. Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Monday* the
12th day of *August* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*

Augustus Ebert

a subject of the *Prince of Schmargburg Rudolstadt* and heretofore
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *Prince of Schmargburg Rudolstadt* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *12th* day of *August* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *69th*

ATTEST:

George R. Riddle
J. R. Riddle

Declaration of Subscribers
of
John Ellwood

Filed Nov 28th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 28th day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight John Erhardt a native of ~~Prussia~~ ^{Germany} came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Erhardt a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the ~~Prince of Prussia~~ do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~Prince of Prussia~~ whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 28th day
of Nov^r A. D. 1848
Cor. The Special
Clerk

John Erhardt.

Petition
of
John Edwards

Voucher
David Rees

Filed Nov 4th 1828

Alien

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

John Edwards of Pittsburg

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

John Edwards

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*6*

W. Sprague
clerk

John Edwards
make

I, *David Rees*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *John Edwards* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *And he has resided in Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*6*

W. Sprague
clerk

David Rees

John England

Filia November 7 1818

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John England*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
of native of *England* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *Second* day of *November*
A. D., 18 *46*, your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Cir. Court W. S. W. Co. of Pa* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John England* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* — A. D. 184*8* }

John England

I, *Thomas Cartwright* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John England* resides in *Allegheny Co. Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* — A. D. 184*8* }

John Cartwright

Clerk.

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Certificate of Declaration of Intentions of John England.

18th Nov 1846



District of Philadelphia

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Second — day of *November*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
six — *John England* —
a native of *England* — came
before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Second* — day of *November* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*six* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-*first*.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Patrick Garrel

Filed November 7 1846

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of

Patrick Farrell

of

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of

Ireland and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the 10th day of *October* A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary*

of the County of Allegheny appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *P. Farrell* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of A. D. 184

Patrick Farrell

I, *Pierce Brannen* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *P. Farrell* resides in *Allegheny* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this 7th day of November A. D. 184

Pierce Brannen

Patrick Farrell

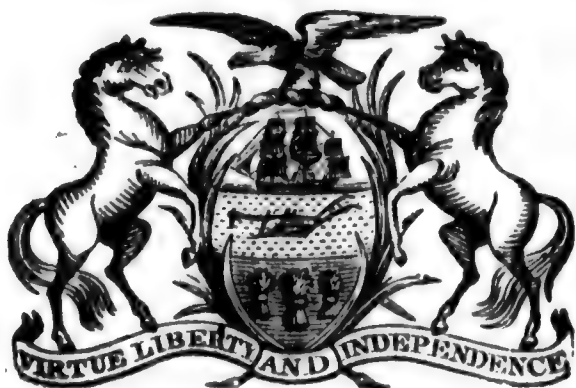
Certificate of
Declaration of Intention

Oct. 10. 1844

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,



Prothonotary of the

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Thursday* the *10th*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four*.

a native of

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

Patrick Harrel

and heretofore a subject of the

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *10th* day of *October* Anno Domini 18 *44* and of the Independence of the United States the *69th*

G. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Henry Dearbeller

Filed November 7 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Henry Frankeller*
of HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of and was heretofore a subject of the

German Empire of Prussia
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twenty eighth* day of *October*
A. D., 18*46*, your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Empire of Prussia* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Frankeller* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Empire of Prussia* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov.* A. D. 184*6* }

Henry Frankeller

I, *Conrad Kleiber* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Henry Frankeller* resides in *Allegheny Pa.* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov.* A. D. 184*6* }

Conrad Kleiber

1846

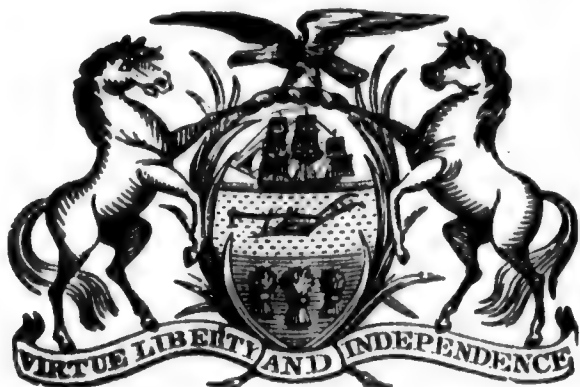
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.

I,

George R. Riddle



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *26*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty six* *Henry Yeakellor*

a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the
Grand Duke of Hesse came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Hesse*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *26*

day of *October* Anno Domini 18*46* and

of the Independence of the United States the *71*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Dedication of Intentions
of
Circulus Fellerhul

Filed Nov. 14th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } st.

At Pittsburgh, on the 14th day of November, in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty Carroll's Letter Book
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

Conrad F. Muller a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Duke of Baden do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of
Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14 day
of November A. D. 1848
Cor. W. Sprule
Clk

Frederick J. Muller

John Bellows

Filed November 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *John Fellows*
of _____ HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *England* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twenty sixth* day of *April*
A. D., 1845 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*

Allegheny Co Court of Maryland appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Fellows* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8*

John Fellows

I, *James Scanlan* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John*
Fellows resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

James Scanlan
Clark

John Fellows
Application
April 26th 1843

James Seal and

STATE OF MARYLAND, Allegany County, set.

Be it remembered, That on this *26th* day of *April* in the year eighteen hundred and forty-*five*, *John Fellows* a Native of *England* appears in the Clerk's Office, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from *England* in the year of 18*44*. the place of his nativity; that he is about years of age, and that he intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland. At the same time said *John Fellows* makes oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty GOD, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America; and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate or State Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *Queen Victoria*.

MARYLAND, Allegany County, to wit:

J. Henry Bruce, Clerk of Allegany County Court, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is truly taken from the Records of my Office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name and affixed my seal of Office, this *26th* day of

April

1843

Henry Bruce Clerk,

Of Allegany County Court, Md.

Francis Frederick

Filed November 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Francis Frederick*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Duke of Saxony

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Frederick Frederick

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of
A. D. 184

I,

of

the petitioner above named,

do swear that
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

August Ebert

John W. Terdeman

Filed Nov 7th 1878

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
John H. Tiedeman a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *John H. Tiedeman* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of ~~Great Britain and Ireland~~ *Prussia*, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of ~~Great Britain and Ireland~~ *Prussia*, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *7th*
day of *November* A. D. 1848, }

COR.

Johann Heinrich Tiedeman

Jacob Frost

Julia November 7th 83

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Jacob Post*
of *Germany*
native of *King of Bavaria*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *13th* day of *August*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Joseph of Alleghenlestown* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jacob Post* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

Jacob Post

I, *D. A. Almet* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Jacob Post* resides in *Alleghenlestown* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

D. A. Almet

Jacob Post's

Declaration Certificate

D. A. Custice
Witness

(\$1.00 paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, }

Sct.

I, *Thomas Parley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Tuesday* the *13th* day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

Jacob Fast

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *13th* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Parley Clerk.

Jacob Volz
Kulby

Filed November 7 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of ~~Martin Brown~~ *Isaac Piety*
of *Germany*
Duke of Baden

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the 10th
day of *February* A. D., 1845 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Erie Co. Allegheny Pa. appears; that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the *Duke of Baden* whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, *Martin Brown* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
Duke of Baden of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Isaac Piety

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

I, *Philip Kaser* do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in _____ all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this 7th day of *November* A. D. 1848 } *Philip Kaser*

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Harley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Monday* the *10th* day of *February*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty five* personally came before me.

Jacob Gultz a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Grand Duke of Baden*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po-
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju-
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Baden*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *tenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty five* and of the Independence of the United States, the *sixth* month

ATTEST,

Thomas Harley Clerk.

Jacob Gaultz
Certificate of Declaration

Received of the
Honorable John
Gaultz
the sum of
one hundred
dollars
for the
purchase of
land

(A. H. Paid)

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sct.

I Thomas Harley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Monday* the *10th* day of *February*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty five* personally came before me.

Jacob Gultz a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Grand Duke of Baden*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Baden*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *tenth* day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty five* and of the Independence of the United States, the *sixth Month*

ATTEST,

Thomas Harley Clerk.

Petition of
David Giles

Vouch
David Giles

Filed 7th Nov^r 1848

Direct

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States for
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *David Giles of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Wales*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, David Giles

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty; whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

David Giles

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

H. Sproul
Clk

I, *David Giles* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *David Giles* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and that he has resided in the State of Pennsylvania one year prior to this date*

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

H. Sproul
Clk

David Giles
Sub

CHAS. E. BROWN & CO. PRINTERS
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1883

THE RECORD OF THE
PROGRESS OF THE
INDIAN CIVILIZATION

AND THE
HISTORY OF THE
INDIAN CIVILIZATION

THE RECORD OF THE
PROGRESS OF THE
INDIAN CIVILIZATION

Joseph L. Allen

Filed November 7 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Joseph Gillen*
of *Indiana* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Indiana* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twentieth* day of *December*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Joseph Allegheny Pa appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Joseph Gillen* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* - A. D. 184*8* }

I, *Robert Hill* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Joseph*
Gillen resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* - A. D. 184*8* }

Robert Hill

Joseph Gillen
Declaration Cert.

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Harley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Friday the 20th day of December
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty four personally came before me

Joseph Gillen a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 20th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty four and of the Independence of the United States, the 28th District

ATTEST,

Thomas Harley

Clerk.

Filed November 7th 1848

Christian Glauz

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Christian Glaice*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
of *Germany*
native of *Prussia of Hesse* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *14th* day of *September*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Allegheny Co Pa* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Hesse* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Christian Glaice* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prussia of Hesse* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 184 *8*

Christian Glaice

I, *John Alliman* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *C. Glaice* resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 184 *8*

John Alliman
John Alliman

Christian Glaise's
Certificate
of

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Sept. 14/1844

\$1.00 paid

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Farley — Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on Saturday the 14th day of September
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Four personally came before me.

Christian Glaise — a native of Germany —
and heretofore a subject of the Prince of Darmstadt.
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po-
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju-
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the Prince of Darmstadt —
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this Fourteenth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Four and of the Independence of the United States, the Sixty Eighth

ATTEST,

Thomas Farley Clerk.

Michael Gornley

Filed November 7 1828

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } ss.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States,
in and for said District:—

The Petition of *Michael Gormly*
of _____ HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of
and was heretofore a subject of the *Queen*

of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that ~~he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the~~ *he was*
~~day of~~ *A. D. 18* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen
~~of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in, and by the certificate of the~~
certification *year of age when he came to the* that he will sup-
port the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever ab-
jure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to
the _____ whereof he was heretofore
a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States
of America.

I, _____ do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true,
and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and
particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
_____ of which I was
heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this _____ day of _____ A. D. 184

} *Michael Gormly*

I, _____ do swear, that the Petitioner
has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and with-
in the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
resides in _____ all of which places are within and under the
Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a
man of good moral character attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order
and happiness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open court,
this _____ day of _____ A. D. 184

} *John Gormly*

Declaration of Intention
of
Fred. Gossett

Filed Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Fred Gosselt a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Fred Gosselt* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *Duke of Baden* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Duke of Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

Frederick Gosselt

Philip Graving

Filed November 7 1828

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Philip Graving

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Prince of Wales

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Philip Graving

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Philip Graving

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of Nov.
A. D. 1848

I,

Charles Renter

of

do swear that Philip Graving the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
7th day of November
Anno Domini 1848

C. Renter

Henry J. Grant.

Filed Nov 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Henry J. Garnet

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Drapel

Emperor of Drapel

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

H. J. Garnet

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Emperor of Drapel

Henry J. Garnet

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of November }
A. D. 1848

I,

John B. Bond of

the petitioner above named,

do swear that
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

7 day of November

Anno Domini 1848

John B. Bond

Relocation of Instructions
of
James Gray

Filed 15th Nov. 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 15th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, James Gray a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I James Gray a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States; and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15th day
of November A. D. 1848.
Cor. W. Spruill
Clerk

James Gray

James Gibben

Filed November 7 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *James Gribbin*
of
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *fourteenth* day of *March*
A. D., 18*46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Gribbin* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 184*6* }

James Gribbin
mark

I, *Franklin McGowan* — do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James Gribbin* resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*6* }

Franklin McGowan

1846

James Grittle

Certificate of
Declaration of Int.
Mar. 14 1846

Geo. P. Riddle

On

Wm. M. Gurnea
J. H. Harker

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I,

Geo. R. Riddle



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *14th* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty six*.

native of *Ireland*

James Giblin and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *14th* day of *March* Anno Domini 18*46* and of the Independence of the United States the *4th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY,

Deletion of
Michael Guise

Voucher
Gardner & Cramer

Given Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Geise* of *Allegheny*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 14th Sept 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
places of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Geise* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof he was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of November*
1845 *W. Spruill*
Clk

Michael Geise do swear, that the
petitioner *Michael Geise* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Indman has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Nov 1845*
W. Spruill
Clk

Indman's Claim

1844

Michael Geise

Certificate of
Declaration

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } sct.

I, *G. P. Riddle* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Saturday* the
14 day of *Sept* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*

Michl. Geise
a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Prussia* came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof he
was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *14* day of *Sept* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *64*

ATTEST:

G. P. Riddle

Augustus B. Grop

Filed November 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Augustus A. Grofs -
Germany

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Prussia of Hesse

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Augustus A. Grofs

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
Prussia of Hesse
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Augustus A. Grofs

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of Nov }
A. D. 1848

I,

Herman Grofs - of
A. H. Grofs

do swear that the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

7 day of November }
Anno Domini 1848

Herman Grofs

Urban Hadley

Filia November 7 1828

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Urban Hadley*
of *Germany* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Germany* and was heretofore a subject of the

King of Baden
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *Twenty Sixth* day of *June*
A. D., 18 *45* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
District Court for the Parish of Baton Rouge, La. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *King of Baden*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Urban Hadley* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Baden*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Urban Hadley

I, *Leopold Sahl* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Urban*
Hadley resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence in the United States he has behaved as a man of good moral character attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Leopold Sahl

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Declaration
for Naturalization
of Urban Peasantry

Filed 15 June 1894
A. W. Thompson

Cover

Declaration of Intention

Urban Hadley, an alien, being a free white person and citizen of Endingen, Grand Duchy of Baden in Germany, Europe, but now a resident in Baton Rouge, in the State of Louisiana, United States of America, comes here before the Honorable Justices of the district Court of East Baton Rouge, now holden in Baton Rouge on the day of June 1864, and declares upon oath, that it is his intention to become a citizen of the United States of America, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grand Duke of Baden, and to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty. Whatever

Urban Hadley

Report

To the Clerk of the district Court of East Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Urban Hadley, an alien and free white person, makes report, that he is aged 55 years, being born on the 11th day of April 1809, in Endingen, Grand Duchy of Baden, in Germany, Europe, and now owes allegiance to the United States of America, that he came from Germany and arrived in the United States, viz. at the City of New York, in the State of New York, on or about the 15th of June 1832, and is now settled in intention to settle in the United States of America, and that he would stand of being naturalized of all which he requests that registry be given effect may be made, and a certificate thereof given

ably to a law of the United States passed
the 14th April A.D. 1800, entitled an act
to establish an uniform rule of natural-
ization and to repeal the acts heretofore
passed on that subject.

Patron Rouse La. June 15th 1844.

Urban Hadley

I Urban Hadley do solemnly swear
that it is my intention soon to be-
come a citizen of the United States of
America that I will support the Con-
stitution of the United States and that
I do hereby absolutely and entirely abjure
all allegiance and fidelity to any
foreign Prince or potentate or state
and more particularly to the Grand
Duke of Baden in Germany and do
further swear that I have never
borne any title of nobility in said King-
dom of Baden.

Sworn to and subscribed

before me this 15th day of
June 1844, in Open Court

A. W. Thompson Clerk

Urban Hadley

State of Louisiana, in 5th District Court

Parish of East Baton Rouge. 15 June 1844

Present

Me. Hon. Isaac Johnson Judge

Urban Hadley & on motion of Urban Hadley

for naturalization. It was the duty of the United

States to take the oath required by law, the

motion was allowed, the oath duly

administered. Isaac Johnson Judge 3rd district,

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Declaration

for naturalization
of Urban Hadley

I Adam Winthrop Clerk of the
district Court of the third judicial district
of the state of Louisiana for the parish
of East Baton Rouge hereby certify the
following to be a true copy of the original
on file in my office

In testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand & affixed
the seal of said Court this 26th
day of June A.D. 1845
A Winthrop Clerk

3738-

Declaration
for Naturalization
of William Bradley

Filed 15 June 1845
At New Orleans

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Haurahan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain &c*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of

Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *21st day of September 1848*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *County of Allegheny*

Town of Bristol County Mass appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate

and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*

Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore

prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Haurahan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *21st day of September*
Nov. 1848 *W. H. Spear* *Michael Haurahan*

I Sw. Hogan do swear, that the
petitioner *M. Haurahan* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Michael Haurahan in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *21st Nov. 1848* *John Hogan*
W. H. Spear
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Copy of *Journal* of *Dr. J. H. Murray*
in the *U. S. S. Albatross*
during his service as
naturalist and
surgeon.

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CHERRY

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.

To the Honorable the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, to be
holden at Taunton within and for the County of Bristol,
on the second Monday of September in the year of our Lord
eighteen hundred and forty five

Respectfully Represents Michael Haurahan of Fall River in the
County of Bristol, and
that he was born at Stonyford in the
County of Wexford, Ireland

in the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland on or about
the 21st day of September in the year eighteen
hundred and forty and is now about thirty years of age;
that he arrived at

Fall River, Commonwealth of Massachusetts

in the United States of America, on or about the
third day of October in the year of our Lord
eighteen hundred and forty; that it then was, and still
is his bona fide intention to become a citizen of the United States of America, and to
renounce all allegiance and fidelity to every Foreign Prince, State, Potentate and Sove-
reignty whatsoever—more especially to

Victoria, Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain & Ireland,

whose subject he has heretofore been. He therefore prays, that this his Declaration and
Intention may become a record of this Honorable Court, agreeably to the Laws in such
case made and provided.

Michael Haurahan

Bristol ss. Court of Common Pleas, September Term 1845
Then the said Michael Haurahan personally appeared, and made
oath to the truth of the facts as set forth in the above Declaration to the Court and Re-
port to the Clerk, by him subscribed.

ATTEST,

Thos. G. Sprout

CLERK.

Relocation of
George Leon Hartger

Filed Nov. 17th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 17th day of Nov in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight Geo. Leon ~~Hartman~~ ^{Hartman}
a native of ~~Germany~~ came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I ~~George Leon Hartman~~ ^{George Leon Hartman} a native of ~~Germany~~ and heretofore
a subject of the ~~King of Prussia~~ do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~King of~~
~~Prussia~~ whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 17th day
of Nov A. D. 1848
Cpr.

W. Spradley
Clerk

George Leonhart Gänther

Declaration of Intention
of
James H. Haney

Gila Nov^r 14th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 14th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight James Heaney a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I James Heaney a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14 day
of Nov. A. D. 1848

Cor.

James Heaney
W. Sprague
Clerk

Petition
of
Anthony Heenger

Vouches
Joseph Weir

Filed Nov: 7 1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Anthony Henger*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Anthony Henger*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany* — whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *9th* day of *Nov*
A. D. 184 *8*

W. Spruill
clerk

Anthony Henger

I, *Joseph Weixel*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Anthony Henger* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *On my oath as a juror*

to this application

Sworn and subscribed, this *9th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 184 *8*

Joseph Weixel
clerk

Joseph Weixel

Francis Wins

Filed November 7 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Francis Hines*
of *Haver* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Haver* and was heretofore a subject of the

King of Barania
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *third* day of *June*
A. D., 18 *37* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *King of Barania* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Francis Hines* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* - A. D. 184*8*

Ernest Guckert

I, ~~*Valentine Guckert*~~ do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Francis Hines* resides in *Allegheny* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8*

Valentine Guckert

Certificate of
The Declaration
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Intentions of
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AMONG the Records of the Court of Common Pleas of Cambria County at
Term, 1837, the following property is contained, to wit:

PENNSYLVANIA

Cambria County, ss.

The declaration of *Francis Hines*
upon his solemn *Oath* represents that he was born *in the County*
of Conde in the Principality of Berne

that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all alle-
giance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever and particularly to

The King of Berne

of whom he was heretofore a subject.

And the said *Francis Hines*

Name, *Francis Hines*

Age, *fifty years*

King of Berne

Place of intended settlement,

makes report and registry as follows, viz:

Birthplace, *Canton Conde*

Nation and allegiance: *Berne &*

Place whence he migrated: *Havre*

Cambria County Penna.

Sworn and subscribed *before* *Francis Hines*
me the *third* day of
June Anno Domini 1837
D. J. Storm Procl.

Cambria County, ss.

I *D. J. Storm* Prothonotary of the Court
of Common Pleas of said County, do certify, that the above is
a copy of the original as filed and recorded in said Court.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
the seal of said Court at *Ebensburg* the *third*

day of *June* A. D. one thousand eight
hundred and thirty *seven*

D. J. Storm Prothonotary.
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Anthony Huster
Reiser

Filed November 7 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Anthony Reiser

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *France*

Government of France

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Anthony Reiser

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed

Sworn and subscribed in open Court, }
this day of
A. D. 184

I,

James McKnight of

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

James McKnight

Peter Hirding

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Peter Herding

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Herding*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

Prin of Hesse

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Prin of Hesse

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of

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A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sprout
clerk

Peter Herding

Selection of
Joseph Holsten

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John Schley

Filed Nov 7th 1848

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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Joseph Holstein of Allegheny County*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *Joseph Holstein* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Sprague
clerk

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John Tetley of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *Joseph Holstein* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and resided one year in Pennsylvania prior to this application.*

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Sprague
clerk

John Tetley

- Peter Huffman

Filed Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *eleventh* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Peter Hoffman

a native of *Prussia*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Peter Hoffman* a native of *Prussia*

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to ~~the~~

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November* *11th* A.D. 18*44*

Cor.

Peter Hoffman
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W. Spraul
Clerk

Jacob Hilley

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UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Jacob Hecley a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the
following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases
made and provided, as follows:

I, *Jacob Hecley* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Byron* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*
King of Byron whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *7th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

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W. Sproule
Clerk

James J. Smith

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Filed November 7 1818

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Jacob Heise*
of *Germany* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *King of Prussia* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twenty fifth* day of *September*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Notary*
of the County of Allegheny appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jacob Heise* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

I, *John Coryth* — *to the best of his knowledge and belief*
do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Jacob Heise*
resides in *Allegheny Pa.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

Jacob Hesel

Certificate

of
Declaration

of
Intention

Sept. 25/44



The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,



Prothonotary of the *Supreme Court* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *25*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty four* - *Jacob Weisel*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

King of Prussia

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *25*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and
of the Independence of the United States the *69*

Geo. R. Ridd

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition Affidavit
of
Henry Jacob

Filed Nov 7 1848

To the Honorable the Judges of the

The petition of Henry Jack
a native of Ireland, respectfully sheweth,
That your petitioner is a free white person and an
alien, who was born in the County of Lerry in
Ireland on the 16th day of August A.D. one thousand
and seven hundred and ninety one - that
he emigrated to, and arrived in the United States
of America, and landed at the port of Phila-
delphia, in the month of August A.D. 1796.
and that your petitioner is desirous of becoming
a citizen of the United States of America; that
he has resided within the said United States
three years next preceding his arriving at the age
of twenty one years, and has continued to reside
therein untill the time of making the present
application; that including the aforesaid three
years of his minority, he has resided within
the limits and under the jurisdiction of the
United States, five years and upwards; that
your petitioner has been during all the above
mentioned time attached to the principles of
the Constitution of the United States, and well
disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same; and that it has been bona fide his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States next prece-
ding the present application. Your petitioner therefore
prays your honorable Court, that upon making
proof of all matters and things set forth in this petition,
and upon complying with the conditions, stipulations,
and restrictions, contained in an act of the Senate
and House of Representatives of the United States
of America, in Congress assembled, passed the
26th day of May, A.D. 1824. & the Supplement

thereto, he may be admitted to become a Citizen
of the United States:

And your Petitioner will ever pray

Henry Jack

I Henry Jack the petitioner now
before the Court, being duly sworn do declare
and say that the several facts set forth in the
within or foregoing petition, are to the best of my
knowledge and belief, just and true; that I
will support the Constitution of the United States;
that I do hereby renounce and relinquish any
title or order of nobility to which I am now or
hereafter may be entitled: and that I do abso-
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allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince
Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever and
particularly to the Queen of the United Kingdom
of Great Britain and Ireland of whom I was
before a subject

Sworn and Subscribed
in Open Court this
day of November
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duly that the aforementioned Henry Jack, the Petitioner now
before the Court, with whom the deponent is
well acquainted, has resided within the limits and
under the Jurisdiction of the United States three years
next preceeding his arriving at the age of twenty
one year, and has continued to reside therein
until the time of filing of the preceeding Petition,
that including the three years of the minority
of the said Henry Jack, he the said Henry
Jack has resided within the United States five
years and upwards: That during the last
three years thereof, it has been, to the best
of the deponents knowledge and belief, the
bona fide intention of the said Henry Jack
to become @ Citizen of the United States, and
that during all that time he said Henry Jack has
behaved himself as a man of good moral
character attached to the principles of the
Constitution of the United States and well
disposed to the good order and happiness
of the same.

of Subscribed
in open Court the
day of November
A.D. 1848.

Henry Jack

John Jaekel

Filed November 7 1887

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Jaeschel*
of *Germany* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Prussia of Hesse* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *ninth* day of *March*,
A. D., 18 *41* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Common Pleas of Washington Co. Ohio. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia of Hesse*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Jaeschel* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

John Jaeschel

I, *Henry Dauler* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John*
Jaeschel resides in *Allegheny Pa* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Henry Dauler

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *8* }

Henry James
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INTENTION OF NATURALIZATION.

THE STATE OF OHIO, MUSKINGUM COUNTY, SS.

I, *E. J. West* Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas in and for said county, do hereby certify that *John Kappel* a native of *Hesse*

Kappel in *Germany* did on this *9th* day of *March* A. D. 184*7*, declare on oath, before me,

that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and

abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty

whatever, and particularly to the *Sovereign* of *Kingdom of Prussia*

of whom he is now a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Zanesville, this

9th day of *March* A. D. 184*7*

E. J. West

Clerk.

Petition
of
Joseph Lick.

Vouches
Peter Truiny

Filed by the Court 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Joseph Lerko* of

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of England*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *4 years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *26 day of December 1842*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of*
Common Pleas of Butler County Penna. appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Joseph Lerko*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Novr - 1848*
H. Spraul Clerk

Joseph Lerko
mark

I *Peter Fenney*

petitioner *Joseph Lerko* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *Eleven* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Joseph Lerko* resided
in *Butler County* in *Pittsburgh Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of November*
1848 *H. Spraul*
Clerk

Peter Fenney
mark

Intention

State of Pennsylvania,)
BUTLER COUNTY.)

Sct.

I *Jacob Muckling Jr.*

Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the said county,

by these presents certify, that on the *26th* day of *December* in the
year, A. D. 18*42* personally came before me *Joseph Sirtes*

a native of *Wannaga* and heretofore a subject of the *King*

of England. And having been duly sworn according to law,

made his declaration, stating that it was bonafide his intention to become

a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to any Foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty what-

ever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of England*

whereof he was a former subject

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at Butler,

this *26th* day of *December* in the year A. D. 18*42* and of the Independence of the

United States, the *fifty seventh*

Attest:

Jacob Muckling Jr. Pro

Petition
of
Richard Jones.

Vouches
Wm Morris

Filed Nov 9th 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Richard Jones* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 30th October 1846*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *court of General*
Quarters Sessions of Allegheny County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Richard Jones* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

W. Spraul
Clerk *Richard Jones*

petitioner *Richard Jones* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Richard Jones* has
resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

W. Spraul
Clerk *William Morris*

Richard Jones
Certificate
of
Declaration

Oct. 30. / 46



Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I *John Young* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Tuesday* the *30*-day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *46* ——— personally came before me.

Richard Jones — a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po-
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju-
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *30* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *46* and of the Independence of the United States, the *twenty second*

ATTEST,

John Young Clerk

Declaration of Intent
William L. Bassner

Filed Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *scd.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *Seventh* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

William Hassner a native of *Prussia*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *William Hassner* a native of *Prussia*
and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *7th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

William Hassner

Cor.

W. Spruill
Clerk

George Wick
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Filed November 7 1888

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *George Rag*
of *Germany*
native of *Duke of Baden*
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *10th* day of *October*
A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Court of Allegheny Co* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Duke of Baden* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Rag* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

George Rag

I, *Leopold Sahl* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *George Rag* resides in *Allegheny Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }

Leopold Sahl

George Nag's
Certificate
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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sct.

I, John Young Jr Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Saturday the 10th day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Six personally came before me,
George Kog a native of Germany.

and heretofore a subject of the Duke of Baden
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Baden
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 10th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Six and of the Independence of the United States, the 17th day of July

ATTEST

John Young Jr Clerk.

Petition
of James E. Kelly

Witness
Daniel C. Kelly

Filed Nov 7th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *James E. Kelly of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *James E. Kelly* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *14th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

W. Spry

I, *Dennis C. Kelly* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *James E. Kelly* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and has resided one year in Penna prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *14th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

W. Spry

Dennis C. Kelly

Declaration of Intentions
of
Comod Knapp

Filed 17th Nov. 1845

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 17th day of Nov. in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, *Carroll Kraft* a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *Carroll Kraft* a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the *Prince of Hesse* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Prince of Hesse* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 17th day
of Nov. A. D. 1848
Cor. *W. Spruel*
clerk

Carroll Kraft

Religion of
the Kramus

Voucher
Jacob Smith

Given Nov: 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Eli Hammen* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Government of Germany*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *21 day of Novr 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Plas of Washington County Pa* appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of Germany*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Eli Hammen* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Government of Germany*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of Novr*
1848 *H. Spruill*
clerk

Eli Hammen

petitioner *Eli Hammen* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Eli has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of Novr*
1848 *H. Spruill*
clerk

Jacob Smith

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Washington County, ss.

I, *E. Blair* Prothonotary of the Court of Common
Pleas for said county, do hereby certify, that on the *21* day of

August A. D. 184*2* *John Hamers*
a native of *Germany*

now of *Washington County Penn*

in this county, declared it to be *bona fide* his intention to become a
citizen of the United States of America ; agreeably to the laws of Congress, in such case made and
provided; the record of which remains in our said court.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the said Court at
Washington, this *21* day of *Aug* in the year of our Lord, one thou-
sand eight hundred and forty *four*

E. Blair PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of Intentions
Richard Lawless

Filed Nov ~~25~~ 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Richard Lawless circuit a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the ~~District~~ Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Richard Lawless* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *7th*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*
COR. *W. Sprang*

his
Richard Lawless
Mark

Michael W. Clay

Anthony East

Filed ^{4th} November 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael McLary* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *5 yrs* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *2* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 2^d day of Oct. 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Quarter Session*
of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael McLary* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 Nov 1845*

petitioner *Michael McLary*
jurisdiction of the United States of America *5* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

in Allegheny County

Michael McLary

do swear, that the

has resided within the limits and under the

Michael McLary has resided

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 Nov 1845*

Anthony Smith

W. Spraul
clerk

Michael Mc Clary,
Declaration Certificate
~~Notarary~~

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sct.

I, *Thomas Stanley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Wednesday* the *2^d* day of *October*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Michael Mc Clary a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen* of *Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen* of *Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *second* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *twentieth*

ATTEST

Thomas Stanley Clerk.
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Petition
of
Peter McCoy

Woucher
John Gaggart

Filed Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Peter McLoy* of *Allegheny*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *seven years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *Oct 17 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *circuit court of*
the United States western district of Pennsylvania appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Peter McLoy* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1845*

petitioner *Peter McLoy*
jurisdiction of the United States of America *seven* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

in Allegheny County *Peter McLoy has resided*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1845*

John Saggart
John Saggart
Clerk

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Oct 17/1844

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Seventeenth day of *October*

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four *Peter Mc Coy*
a native of *Ireland* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Seventeenth* *day of* *October* *A. D. one*
thousand eight hundred and forty-four *and of the Indepen-*
dence of the United States the sixty-ninth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Declaration of Intent
John McCreary

Filed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *4th* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John McGroney a native of *Ireland*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John McGroney* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *4th*
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sproul
Clerk

John McGroney
his
mark

Daniel W. Henry

Filia November 7 1828

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Daniel Mc Greary* —

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Daniel Mc Greary

Sworn and subscribed in open Court, }
this 7th day of *Nov* }
A. D. 1848

I, *Peter Connolly* — of

do swear that the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

P. Connolly

1844

Daniel McGraw

Declaration of Intention
to become a Citizen
made 28 Sept. 1844

Chas. R. Riddle
Pr

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } sct.

I *George R. Riddle* Prothonotary of
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsyl-
vania, do by these presents certify, that on
Saturday the *28th* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four*.

Daniel M. Greasy
a native of *Ireland* — and heretofore
a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* — came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, poten-
tate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all
allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the
said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *28th* day of *September* — in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four* —
and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty ninth*.

Attest,

Geo. R. Riddle

Peter McGinnis

Potter & Co. & Co.

Filed November 7th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE ^{circuit} COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Peter McGinnis of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Peter McGinnis*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject *Peter McGinnis*

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *1* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 *W. Sproul*
clerk

I, *Patrick Szoldsky* of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Peter McGinnis* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *in Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Sproul
clerk

Patrick Szoldsky

Petition
of
Patrick McKenna

Voucher
J. McKenna

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

\$1.00 paid

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Patrick McHenna of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on 2nd Oct 1844

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Patrick McHenna do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 4th Nov 1845
W. Spruill
Clerk

Patrick McHenna

I, Patrick McHenna do swear, that the
petitioner Patrick McHenna has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year, that is to say, he, the said

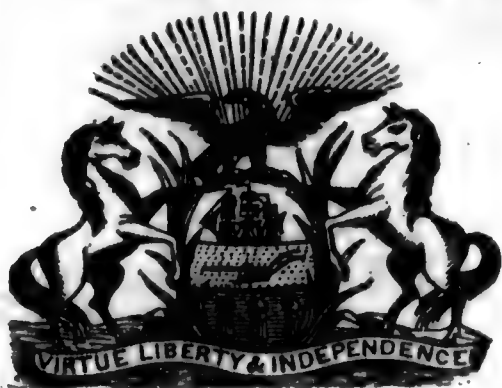
Patrick has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 4th Nov 1845
W. Spruill
Clerk

Patrick McHenna

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } **Sct.**



I, *Miram Schulz*

Prothonotary of the COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on

the *second* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four*

Patrick and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *said Queen* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *sixth* day of *November* Anno Domini 18*48* and of the Independence of the United States the *73*

Miram Schulz

PROTHONOTARY.

Robert McLenna

Wm
William Barker

Feb 20th 1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Robert McKenna of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Scotland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Robert McKenna* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Robert McKenna

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 *W. C. Sproul*
Clk

I, *William Parker* _____ of *Allegheny County* _____
do swear that _____ the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

William Parker

Robert W. Hanna

Secretary # 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *act.*

At Pittsburgh, on the

4th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Robert M'Nema

a native of

Scotland

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *Robert M'Nema*

a native of

Scotland

and heretofore a subject of *Queen of Great Britain &c* do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

Queen of Great Britain &c

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

4th

day of

Nov^r

A. D. 1848

Cor:

H. Spruak
clerk

William McLaughlin

written
John Shields

Gila Nov 7th 1848

me

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *William M'Laughlin* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 27th day of September 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen &c*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wm M'Laughlin* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Novr 1848*
W. Sproul
Clerk

William M'Laughlin
J. A. Shields do swear, that the
petitioner *Wm M'Laughlin* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Wm M'Laughlin of *Allegheny County*

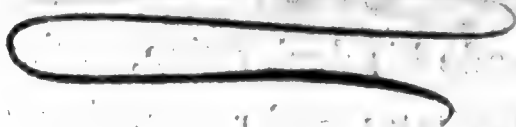
all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Novr 1848*
W. Sproul
Clerk

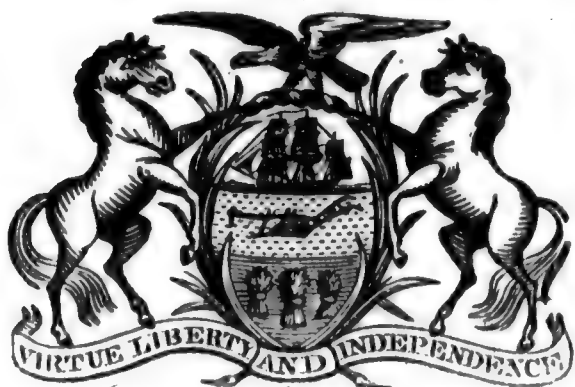
J. A. Shields
Mark

William H. Langdon
native of Ireland.

Certificate of Decla-
ration of intention to
become a citizen of the
United States.



The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
 ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I,

Abner Lacroix Putnam

Prothonotary of the *Supreme Court of Pa. Met. Sess. sitting in*

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Friday* — the *Twenty seventh*
 day of *September* — in the year of our Lord, one thousand
 eight hundred and *Forty four*. *William*

McLaughlin a native of *Ireland* — and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland — came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
 tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
 hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *27th*
 day of *September* — Anno Domini 18 *44* and of
 the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Ninth*.

Abner Lacroix Putnam

PROTHONOTARY.

Journal of
Henry D. Thoreau

Beaches

1. Mr B. M. Conologue

Friday Nov. 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry M'Naughton* of

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Holland* and
was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Switzerland* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *11th day of October 1842*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry M'Naughton* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of Nov* }
1848 *H. Spruell* }
clerk

Henry M'Naughton

petitioner *Henry M'Naughton* I *Wm B McLaughlin* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Henry M'Naughton* has resided
in Allegheny County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Nov* }
1848 *H. Spruell* }
clerk

William B McLaughlin

Henry M. Naughton's
Certificate

\$1.00 paid

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

J. S. McMillan Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Tuesday the 11th day of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Two personally came before me,

Henry McNaughton a native of Scotland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this Eleventh day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Two and of the Independence of the United States, the Sixty Sixth
J. S. McMillan Clerk.

ATTEST,

Pelican of
John Marks

Voucher
Anthony Smith

Filed November 4th
1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of John Marks of Allegheny County

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, John Marks the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of November
A. D. 1848

John Marks

Respectfully
Obedt

I, Anthony Smith of Allegheny County
do swear that John Marks the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. and in Pennsylvania one year

Sworn and subscribed, this 7th

day of November

Anno Domini 1848

Anthony Smith

Respectfully
Obedt

John Meeker

Filed Nov. 7th 1845

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Meeker

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Meeker*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty

whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Soborn and Subscribed this

day of *Nov* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Sproule
clerk

Joseph M. Lytle

John Meenan

Petition for

Charles Munnion
Teacher.

Filed Nov 4th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of

John McEwan of *4th Pittsburgh*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *5 years & upwards* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *2 years & upwards* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 19 day of August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the *Court of*

the United States for the Western District of Pennsylvania appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John McEwan*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of August*

petitioner

John McEwan

has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *5* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of August*

W. Spruce
clerk

Neal Cough

Specimen of handwriting

of the Court of the Western District
of the United States

of the Court of the Western District

of the Court of the Western District

of the Court of the Western District

Certificate of Declaration
of Intent of
John D. ...

United States the sign-
ature and seal of the said Court
of the Western District

of the Court of the Western District
of the United States

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on, the
nineteenth day of *August*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four *John O'Brien*
a native of *Ireland* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *nineteenth* *day of August* *A. D. one*
thousand eight hundred and forty-four *and of the Independ-*
ence of the United States the sixty-ninth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Deputy Subintendant,
of
Joseph Miller

Dec. 28th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of Nov. in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight Joseph Miller, a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Joseph Miller a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 28th day
of November A. D. 1848

Cer.

W. Spruel
Clerk

Joseph Miller

Declaration of Intentions
of
Joseph Miller

Feb 17th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 17th day of Nov^r in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight Joseph Miller a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Joseph Miller a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 17th day of Nov^r A. D. 1848
Cor. 16th Dec^r 1848
Joseph Miller

James Milligan

Voucher

Matthew Reddy

Signed Nov 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James Milligan* of

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 27 day of April 1846*.

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Allegheny*
County Court *Pennsylvania* appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Milligan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov 1848*

petitioner *James Milligan*
jurisdiction of the United States of America
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *James Milligan* has resided

in Allegheny County

his
James X Milligan
mark

Matthew Reddy do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
years, and within the State of Penn-

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th November*
1848

Matthew Reddy
Matthew Reddy
clerk

Matthew Reddy

STATE OF MARYLAND, Allegany County, set.

Be it remembered, That on this 27th day of April in the year eighteen hundred and forty-six James Mulligan a Native of Ireland appears in the Clerk's Office, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from Ireland in the year of 1840 the place of his nativity; that he is about 26 years of age, and that he intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland. At the same time said James Mulligan makes oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty GOD, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America; and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate or State Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to Queen Victoria to whom he was formerly subject

MARYLAND, Allegany County, to wit:

I, Henry Bruce, Clerk of Allegany County Court, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is truly taken from the Records of my Office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name and affixed my seal of Office, this 27th day of

April 1846

Henry Bruce Clerk

Of Allegany County Court, Md.

Petition

McGavin Murdoch
Petitioner
of
Naturalization

Voacher
Robert Anderson

Filed Nov 7th 1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of Mr. Gavin Murdoch

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Scotland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Mr. Gavin Murdoch* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Gavin Murdoch

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

Wm. Spruill
clerk

I, *Robert Anderson* of *Allegheny County* the petitioner above named,
do swear that *Mr. Gavin Murdoch* has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 184 *5*

Robert Anderson

Wm. Spruill
clerk

Section of
Peter May

Vaucher
~~from R. G. R.~~
No. 1000

Given November 4th
1848

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Peter Mayo of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *France*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Peter Mayo* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of France* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

H Spruill
Clerk

Peter Mayo

I, *Geo Kirkpatrick*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

H Spruill
Clerk

Wm Scott

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Samuel Patterson*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *Twenty second* day of *August*
A. D., 18 *44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Circuit Court for this District appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Sam Patterson* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *4* }

Samuel Patterson

I, *Patrick Weston* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Samuel*
Patterson resides in *Alleghenylerton* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184 *4* }

P. Weston

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of
Samuel Patterson

Aug 22nd 1844.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Twenty second day of *August*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four. *Samuel Patterson*
a native of *Ireland* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Twenty second* *day of August* *A. D. one*
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E. J. Roberts. Clerk.

Petition of
Frederick Petrick

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Wm. M. Naughton

Filed Nov. 7th 1848

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Fredrick Pettick* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *22nd day of April 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter
Sessions of Allegheny County Pa* appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Fredrick Pettick* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of December*
1848 *H. Spaul. Clerk*

Fred Pettick

petitioner *Fredrick Pettick* *Henry M. Naughton* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said
Fredrick has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Novr*
1848 *H. Spaul. Clerk*

Henry M. Naughton

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I John Young Jr Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Wednesday* the *19th* day of *April*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Six* personally came before me,

Frederick Lettcock a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po-
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju-
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *twentieth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Six* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Seventieth*

ATTEST,

John Young Jr Clerk.

Declaration of Intentions
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Filed 24th Nov: 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 24th day of November in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight Andrew Flammaker
a native of A. D. 1808 Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Andrew Flammaker a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the King of Hannover do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of
Hannover whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 24th day
of Nov A. D. 1848
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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States -
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Price of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Price* — — — — — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

John Price
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Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848
H. Sprunt
Clerk

I, *John Alderson* — — — — — of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *John Price* — — — — — the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and in Person*

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*
day of *November*
Anno Domini 1848
John Alderson
H. Sprunt
Clerk

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TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *William Ruffley of Allegheny County*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *William Ruffley* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

William Ruffley

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of *November*
A. D. 1845

W. Sprout
Clerk

I, *James Lindsay* of *Jeff. Pittsburgh*
do swear that *William Ruffley* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *And resided in Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

James Lindsay

Sworn and subscribed, this

7 day of *November*

Anno Domini 1845

W. Sprout
Clerk

Edward Reed

Filed November 7 1884

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Edward Reed*
of *Pittsburgh* — HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *27th* day of *March*
A. D., 18 *45* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Allegheny Co Pa — appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Edward Reed* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *27th* day of *November* A. D. 1848 }

Edward Reed

I, *Walter Kirkpatrick* — do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said

resides in _____ all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Walter Kirkpatrick

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* — A. D. 1848 }

Edward Reed
Declaration

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I Thomas Harley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Thursdaye 3^d* day of *March*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty five*, personally came before me.

Edward Reed a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *3^d* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty five* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixth month*

ATTEST,

Thomas Harley Clerk.



Petition of
Rees Rees

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Filed Nov 27 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Rees. Rees of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Wales*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Rees. Rees* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Rees Rees
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of November
A. D. 1848

W. Spruill
Clark

I, *John Barton* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *seventh*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spruill
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David Robinson

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Filed Nov 4th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *David Robinson of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

David Robinson

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *4th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

W. Sprout
clerk

David Robinson

I, *Geo M Lightner* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *David Robinson* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and has resided one year in Pennsylvania prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this *4th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

W. Sprout
clerk

Geo. M. Lightner

Patron of
James Robinson

Wm. H. Lupton
Geo. H. Lupton
Filed November 10th
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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of James Robinson of Allegheny County -

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, James Robinson

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the King of Great Britain &c.

James Robinson

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of November
A. D. 1848

J. B. Spruill
Clerk

I, Geo. M. Lightner, of Allegheny County

do swear that James Robinson the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past; that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

and has resided one year prior to this application in Pennsylvania

Sworn and subscribed, this

7th day of November

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J. B. Spruill
Clerk

Geo. M. Lightner

Petition of
Robert Collison

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Robert Rollison of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Robert Rollison* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Robert Rollison
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Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 184*8*

H. Spraul
Clerk

I, *Dan Becks* — of *Allegheny County*
do swear that the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

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Anno Domini 184*8*

H. Spraul
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Dan Becks

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Reiley of Allegheny County* -

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *John Reiley*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of November
A. D. 1848

H. Sprout

John Reiley
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I, *Owen Reiley*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *John Reiley* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States, and *in Pennsylvania one year prior to this application he has resided*

Sworn and subscribed, this *seventh*
day of November

Anno Domini 1848 *H. Sprout*

Owen Reiley
Made

Schimpf
Jacob James

Filed November 7 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Jacob James

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

King of Bavaria

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1834, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Jacob James

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this day of
A. D. 184

I,

of

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

Anno Domini 184

Valentine Juskert

Declaration of Intentions
Lorenz Schott

Filed Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the

4th

day of

November

in the year of

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight

Lorenz Schott

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows: .

I, *Lorenz Schott*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of

Duke of Baden

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

Duke of Baden

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

4th

day of *November* A.D. 18*48*

Cor.

W. Spraul
Clerk

Lorenz Schott

Petition of
Martha Christian

Worship
Samuel Bagwell

Filed Nov. 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Andrew Sheridan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *13 November 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter
Sessions of Allegheny County* appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Andrew Sheridan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th* November 1848

He signed clerk

And^r Sheridan

petitioner *Andrew Sheridan* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Andrew has resided in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th* day of *Nov*

Daniel B. Caswell

Andrew Thonden
Declaration Certificate

Allegheny
STATE OF PENN

I Thomas Yearley Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Wednesday the 13th day of November
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Four personally came before me,

Andrew Sheridan a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States; and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this thirteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and Forty Four and of the Independence of the United States, the Sixty Ninth

ATTEST,

Thomas Yearley Clerk

Petition of
Mary Shumline
for Naturalization

Wm. Shumline
Jacob Shumline

Filed November 7th 1848
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Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of ~~Thomas Green~~ *Henry Shimburo*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of ~~Sweden~~ *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, ~~Thomas Green~~ *Henry Shimburo* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* — — — whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *September*
A. D. 1848

Henry Shimburo

Jacob Shimburo of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *Henry Shimburo* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and has resided in Pennsylvania one year prior to this application*

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of

November

Anno Domini 1848

Jacob Shimburo

Petition of
Wm P. Simpson

Vouches
Joseph Moore

Gelia November 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of

Wm. P. Simpson

of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 9th day of September 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Allegheny County Pa appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &c*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wm. P. Simpson*

do swear that the facts set forth in this

my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Nov 1844*

Wm. P. Simpson

W. P. Simpson

petitioner

Wm. P. Simpson

do swear, that the

jurisdiction of the United States of America *two* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Wm. P. Simpson

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7 day of November*

1848

Wm. P. Simpson
clerk

Joseph Moore

1844

Wm. D. Simpson

Certificate
of
Declaration

Sept 9. 1844

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set,

I,

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY of the

Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Monday* the
ninth day of *September* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*

Wm. L. Simpson

a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* and heretofore
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he
was former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *ninth* day of *September* in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *69th*

ATTEST:

Geo. R. Riddle
Pro

Religion of
John Munroe

Voucher
Matthew M. Brown

Filed Nov 7th 1848

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Skinnon* — — of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray. &c.

I, *John Skinnon* — — — — — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

John Skinnon

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *1st* day of *November*
A. D. 1848 }
W. Spraul
clerk

I, *Matthew McGovern* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *John Skinnon* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States. *and has applied for citizenship*
Allegheny County one year prior to this application

Sworn and subscribed, this *4th*
day of *November*

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spraul
clerk

Deletion of
James Smith

Wichita
Robert Bially

Filed November
4th 1848

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Grant

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *James Smith of Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *James Smith* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *9th* day of *November*
A. D. 1848

W. Spraul
Clerk

James Smith

I, *Robert Beatty*

of *Allegheny County*

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States

on the 24th of Jan

Sworn and subscribed, this

day of *Nov* 1848

Anno Domini 1848

W. Spraul
Clerk

Am given prior to the application
Robert Beatty

Geo R. Snyder

Filed November 7 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

George S. Snyder
Germany

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, Geo Snyder the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject

James H. H. H.
James H. H. H.

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7th day of Nov
A. D. 1848

I, Beatus Renter of _____
do swear that Geo Snyder the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
7th day of Nov
Anno Domini 1848

B Renter

John Longstaff

Filia November 7 1848,

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

John Longstaff

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

John Longstaff

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Gr. B. Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of November
A. D. 184

John Longstaff

I,

John T. Whitten

of

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

7 day of November

Anno Domini 184

John T. Whitten

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty third* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty- *eight* —

Martin Staab — a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Martin Staab* *Prussia* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of the queen of ~~Great Britain and Ireland~~, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *23rd*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8* }
COR.

Martin Staab

John Straub

Gilead Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

At Pittsburgh, on the *seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Shaul

a native of

Germany

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Shaul*

a native of

Germany

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia* do swear, that
it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and ab-
jure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty
whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to *the*

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

7th
day of *November* A. D. 18*48*

Cor.

H. Sprout
Clk

Jos. H. H. H.

Petition of
Evan Stephens

Respectfully
Yours
Wm. Hughes

Filed Nov: 7th 1848

Petition of
Evan Stephens

Respectfully
Yours
Wm. Hughes

Filed Nov. 4th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Evan Stephens of Allegheny Co

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Wales and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that Two years — prior to this application,
that is to say, on 27th day of January 1844

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of
the United States for the West District of Penn^a — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Evan Stephens — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 7th Nov^r 1848
Wm Spruill
Clerk

Evan Stephens

petitioner Evan Stephens — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Evan Stephens has resided in
Allegheny County —

William Hughes

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 7th Nov^r 1848
Wm Spruill
Clerk

William Hughes

United States
Western District of
of Pennsylvania } Ss

I Henry Sproul, clerk of the circuit
court of the United States for the
Western District of Pennsylvania, do
hereby certify, that on the twenty seventh
day of January A.D. one thousand
eight hundred and forty four

Evans Stephens a native of
Wales came before the clerk of the said court, and
declared his intention, bona-fide, of becoming a citizen
of the United States, and also his intention to renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign
prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set
my hand, and affixed the ^{of the said} seal of the Court at the city of
Pittsburgh this Seventh day of November A.D. one thousand
and eight hundred and forty eight and of the Inde-
pendence of the United States the seventy third

H. Sproul clerk

Declaration of Intent
John Gilgar

Filed Nov 7th 1848

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sect.*

At Pittsburgh, on the *Seventh* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

John Hilgar

a native of *Germany*

came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, *John Hilgar*

a native of *Germany*

and heretofore a subject of *King of Prussia*

do swear, that

it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to

King of Prussia

whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November*

7th
A. D. 184*8*

} *Johannes Köhler*

Cor.

W. Spruill
clerk

Charton Caught

Filed Nov 3 1883

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Martin Baugt*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Germany*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Martin Baugt* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Prussia* *Martin Baugt* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this } day of *Nov*
A. D. 1848 }

I, *John Stain* of *Martin Baugt* the petitioner above named,
do swear that *Martin Baugt* has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
7 day of *Nov*
Anno Domini 1848 }

John Stain

Petition of
Conrad Vaught

Vaughn
Leonard Walter

Gilead Nov. 7 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Conrad Vaught* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Electors of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* — prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 22nd day of May 1846* —
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Plies of Allegheny County Pa — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Electors of Prussia*

— whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Conrad Vaught* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Electors of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov: 1848*

Wm Spraul
Clk

petitioner *Conrad Vaught* — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *two years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said

Conrad Vaught — *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Nov: 1848*

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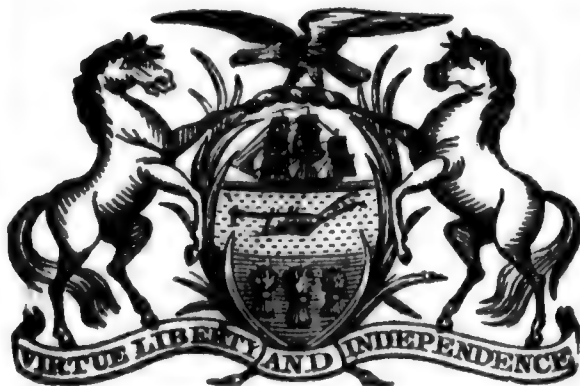
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May 21 1846

Leonard Walter

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I, *Geo. R. Riddle*
Prothonotary of the *Court of Com. Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Thursday* the *21*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty six*.

a native of

Germany
Electors of Hesse

Conrad Vaught
and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Electors of Hesse*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *21*
day of *May* Anno Domini 18 *46* and
of the Independence of the United States the *70th*

Geo. R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of
James Walker

Deputy
David Sims

Filed 4th Nov
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid:

THE Petition of *James Walker* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 30th day of June 1846*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Walker* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Novr 1848*

H. Spraul

Clerk

James Walker
James Walker

petitioner *James Walker* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *James Walker* has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th Novr 1848*

H. Spraul
Clerk

David Sims

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sct.

I, John Young Es Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Tuesday the 30 day of June
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty six personally came before me,

James Walker a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this 30 day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty six and of the Independence of the United States, the

ATTEST

John Young Es

Martin Weaver

Filia November 9 1828

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Martin Weaver

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Germany

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the whereof I was heretofore a subject

Martin Weaver

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of November
A. D. 1848

I,

Michael McCallough of

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

7 day of November

Anno Domini 1848

M. McCallough

Petition of
Michael Rogers

Voucher
Valentine Kress

Filed Nov 4 / 1828

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Weaver* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *31st Oct 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *circuit court*
Floyd County Indiana appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Weaver* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th November 1848*
H. Sprout
clerk

Michael Weaver

Voluntary Proof.

do swear, that the
petitioner *Michael Weaver* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael Weaver* has resided
in Allegheny County State of Pennsylvania

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th November*
1848

Voluntary Proof

H. Sprout
clerk

Clerk of S. C. Court
To: Certificate
Michael Weaver

Dec 30th paid

STATE OF INDIANA, FLOYD COUNTY, SS:

Be it remembered, that before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the county of Floyd, in the 2d Judicial Circuit of the State of Indiana, on the *31st* day of *October* in the year 18*84* personally appeared *Michael Weaver* who having been duly sworn, did depose and say that he is a native of *Hesse in Germany* residing in the county of Floyd, aged *27* years or thereabouts: and that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to *the King & Crown of Hesse in Germany*, of whom he is now a subject.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as Clerk of the said Court and the seal thereof, at New Albany, in the county aforesaid, the *31st* day of *October* in the year 18*84*

Henry W. Smith

CLERK.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } **SS.**

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Philip P. Weis*

of

native of

Germany ————
Grand Duke of Hesse ————

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a

and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the

day of

A. D., 18

your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

appears; that he will

support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Philip P. Weis do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of Nov A. D. 1848 }

Philip P. Weis

I, do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said

resides in

all of

which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 7 day of Nov A. D. 1848 }

Philip P. Heis
Declarator
October 9 1843.

Filed Nov 7/48.

and

and

of

and

and

and

United States of America.



State of Pennsylvania,

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY, ss.

Be it Remembered, That on this *ninth*
day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
forty *three* before me, the Clerk of the Court of ^{*Quart*} General Sessions, for the City and
County of Philadelphia, personally appeared *Philip P. Weiss*

who being duly *sworn* according to law, upon his solemn *Oath*
did declare, depose and say, that he is a Native of *Germany*

now residing in the *City* of Philadelphia, aged *Twenty four*
years, or thereabouts, and that it is BONA FIDE his intention to become a Citizen of
the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Grand*
Duke of Hesse Darmstadt
of whom he is now a Subject.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the

Seal of said Court, this

9th day of *October*
in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty *three*

John T. Shaw Jr. CLERK.

Robert Westerman

Filed November 7 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Robert Westernman*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *England*

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Robert Westernman* — the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject *Robt Westernman*

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *8*

I, *James W. Baxter* of _____
do swear that *Robert Westernman* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
day of *November*
Anno Domini 184 *8*

James W. Baxter

James Whalen

Filed November 7 1883

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *James Whalen*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the

fifth day of *April*
A. D., 18*41* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the

Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas City of New York appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce

and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the

Queen of Great B. & Ireland
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Whalen* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

James Whalen

I, *Owen P. Porter* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James Whalen* resides in *Allegheny City* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

Owen P. Porter

STATE OF NEW YORK.
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS,
FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK.

I, *James Whalen*

do declare on oath, that it is bona fide my intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, of whom I am a subject.

James Whalen

Sworn this *5* day
of *apl* 184*1* }

Nathl Jarvis Clerk.

Clerk's Office, Court of Common Pleas
For the City and County of New-York.

I do certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original affidavit of Intention remaining of record in this Office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed
my name and affixed the seal of the said Court
this *5* day of *apl* 184*1*

Nathl Jarvis

Clerk.

John White's
Petition

Boucher
John Candan

Filed Nov 6th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John White* of *Allegheny County*
native of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *16th* day of *October*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Circuit Court of the U States* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &c* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John White* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court, }
this *7th* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*8* }
A. Spruel Clerk

John White
Mark

I, *Richard Candan* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John White* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court, }
this *7th* day of *Novr* A. D. 184*8* }
H. Spruel Clerk

Richard Candan

Certificate of Decla-
ration of Intention
of John White.

Oct. 15th 1844.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the

Sixtieths day of *October* —

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four — *John White* —

a native of *Ireland* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Sixtieths* — day of *October* — A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-*four* and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the sixty-*ninth*

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

George Williamson.

Filed November 7th 1848

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *George Williamson*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*
and was heretofore a subject of Queen of Great
Ireland
and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-
one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that
he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him
to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed
the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has
been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the
Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure
forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty,
whatever, and particularly to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject

his
George Williamson
mark

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov*
A. D. 184*8*

I,

of

do swear that

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is
a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well dis-
posed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowl-
edge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the
petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *7th*

day of *November*

Anno Domini 184*8*

John C. ...

George W. Williamson
Application
Oct. 1st 1845

MARYLAND, Allegany County, to wit:

At a Court
At County Court, of the Fifth Judicial District of Maryland, composed of the Counties of Frederick, Washington and Allegany, begun and held at the Court-house in the Town of Cumberland, in and for Allegany county aforesaid, on the *fourth* Monday of *September* and the *30th* day of the same month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*four*, were present:

The Honorable

Richard A. Marshall } Associate Judge

Norman Bruce Esq. Sheriff, and *Geo. Bond* Clerk.

At which said Court, amongst others, were the following Proceedings, to wit:

Be it Remembered, That on this *first* day of *October* in the year eighteen hundred and forty-*four* *George W. Williamson* a Native of *Ireland* appears in open Court, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from *Ireland* the place of his nativity; that he is about *years* of age, and that he intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland. At the same time said *George W. Williamson* makes oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty GOD, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America; and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate or State Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *Queen Victoria*

MARYLAND, Allegany County, to wit:

I, *Henry Bruce* Clerk of Allegany county Court, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is truly taken from the Record of Proceedings of Allegany county Court, in the State of Maryland. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my name and affixed my seal of Office, this *30th* day of *September*

1845

Henry Bruce Clerk,
of Allegany county Court, Md.

Petition of
Kerman Wolfsting

Decker
Joseph Brown
Filed November 7th
1848,

ms

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Herman Wolfstange* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Hannover*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *seven years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *31st August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of *Quarters*
Seesward Allegheny County Pennsylvania appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Hannover*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Herman Wolfstange* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Hannover*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th November 1848*

H. Spraul
Clerk

Herman Wolfstange

petitioner *Herman Wolfstange* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *seven* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Herman Wolfstange* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th November*
1848

H. Spraul
Clerk

Joseph Brown

STATE OF NEW YORK
IN SENATE
JANUARY 1861

*Anonymous Wolfenbarger
Certificate
of Declaration*

1st June

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Harley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on *Saturday* the *31st* day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty four* personally came before me,

Harmann Wolfstunge a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *King of Hanover*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab=
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Hanover*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *31st* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun=
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the
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Thomas Harley
Clerk.

ATTEST

James Woods

Filed November 7 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *James Woods*
of *Ireland* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *teenth* day of *December*
A. D., 18 *40* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Court of Orphans of Allegheny County appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Woods* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

James Woods

I, *J. H. Heslep* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said
Woods resides in *Allegheny County* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

J. H. Heslep

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *7th* day of *Nov* A. D. 184*8* }

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Allegheny County, }
State of Pennsylvania, } Sect.

I *W. H. Millan* Clerk
of the Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace in and
for the County of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Thursday*
the *10th* day of *December* in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and *Forty* personally
came before me, *James Woods*

a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain and having been duly sworn according to
law, made his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the
United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all alle-
giance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *Tenth* day of *December* in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *Forty* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Fifty Fifth*

ATTEST,

W. H. Millan Clerk.

Release of
Joseph Wright

Voucher
Matthew Nelson
Filed Novemb. 7th 1848

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Joseph Wright of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years
that is to say, on 26th September 1848
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner,
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions
of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania appears;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Joseph Wright do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 7th November 1848
W. Spraul
Clerk

Joseph Wright
Matthew Nelson

petitioner Joseph Wright do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Joseph Wright has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 7th November 1848
W. Spraul
Clerk

Matthew Nelson

Joseph Knight
Declarative Certificate

(£1.00 paid)

**Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } Sct.**

I, *Thomas Farley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Thursday* the *26*th day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Joseph Wright - a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen* of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen* of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this, *26*th day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *Forty Four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Ninth*

ATTEST

Thomas Farley Clerk.
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Declaration of Intentions
Edward Jones

Filed November 8th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Eighth* day of *November* — in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Edward Jones *circuit* a native of *Wales* *Circuit*
came before the Clerk of the ~~District~~ Court of the United States for said ~~District~~, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Edward Jones* a native of *Wales*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *8*
day of *Nov* — A. D. 184*8* }
COR. *H. Sprank*
clerk

Edward Jones

Declaration of Intentions
Saphira Epler

Filed Nov 8th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Eight* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*
Sophie Seifler, a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the ~~District~~ *Circuit* Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Sophie Seifler* *Native of Prussia* a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the ~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~ *Prussia*, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~ *Prussia*, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this

day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

COR.

H. Spraul

Sophie Seifler

Declaration of Intentions
Andrew Horne of

Filed Nov 10th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Tenth day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight Andrew Hornick a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Andrew Hornick a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 10 day
of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Sprule
Clerk

Andrew Hornick

Declaration of Intention
Gottlieb Miller

Filed 10th November 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Tenth* day of *November* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*eight*

Gottlieb Kellen a native of *Germany* —
came before the Clerk of the ~~District~~ Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Gottlieb K* a native of *Germany* —
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
~~King of Great Britain and Ireland~~ *King of Westphalia*, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *10*
day of *November* A. D. 184*8*

COR.

W. Sprague
Clk

Julius Seidl

Declaration of Intentions
John Boile

Gilead 13th November 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 13th day of Nov^r in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight, At John Brule
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Brule a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Grand Duchy of Hesse do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grand Duke
of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13th day
of Nov^r A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruell
Clerk

John Brule

Distribution of ...
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I Henry Spraul Clerk of the Circuit
Court of the United States for the Western Dis-
trict of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on
the thirteenth day of November A. D.
one thousand eight hundred and forty eight
before the Clerk of the said Court,

John George Brueghel a native
of Germany came and declared his intention, *bona*
fide, of becoming a citizen of the United States, and also his intention
to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any foreign prince
or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance
and fidelity to the King of Prussia whereof
he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this
thirteenth day of November A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty eight and of the Inde-
pendence of the United States the seventy third

H. Spraul

Clerk

Declaration of Intentions
of
John George Brough

Filed 13th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 13 day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight *Mr. George Brough* a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

John George Brough a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13 day
of November A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spraul
Clerk

John George Brough

Declaration of Intentions
Henry Frederick

Filed 13th November
1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 13th day of November in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight Henry Frederick
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Henry Frederick a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Duke of Nassau do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Nassau
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13th day
of Nov A. D. 1848

Cor.

H. Spruett
Clerk

Henry Frederick

Declaration of Subscribers
of
Joseph G. Putnam

Filed Nov: 13th 1845

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 13th day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight Joseph Fritzsche a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Joseph Fritzsche a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the Duke of Baden — do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Baden — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13th day of November A. D. 1848 }
Cor. W. Spruel Clerk } Joseph Fritzsche

Declaration of Intentions
Adam Hanning

Filed 13th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 13th day of Nov^r in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight Adam Wanning
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Adam Wanning a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Duke of Saxe do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grated
Duke of Saxe whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13th day
of Nov^r A. D. 1848 } Done Wanning
Cor. W. Spruill
Clerk

Declaration of Intentions
Fritz Realy

Filed 13th Nov 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the thirteenth day of November in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight Fritz Kall
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Fritz Kall a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Prince of Meuse do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particulgrly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Prince of
Meuse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13th day
of Novr A. D. 1848

Cor.

W. Spruell
clerk

Fritz Kall

Declaration of Intentions
of
Michael Smyth

Filed Nov 13th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 13th day of Nov: in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-eight Michael Sneyth a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Michael Sneyth a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the Government of France do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Government of France whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 13th day
of Nov: A. D. 1848
Cor. W. Spruce
Clerk

Wm. J. Smith

John Weaver

Dec 8th 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Eighth day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight John Weaver a native of Germany — came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Weaver a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the Grand Duke of Baden do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grand Duke of Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 8th day
of December A. D. 1848

Cor.

Wm. Spradwell

John Weaver

Declaration of Intent,
p. 5.

Wm. Papp.

Dec 11 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Eleventh day of December in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eight Adam Paff
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Adam Paff, a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of
Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 11 day
of Dec^r A. D. 1848
Cor. W. Spraul
Clerk

Adam Paff

Pition of
Michael Denny

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Daniel Muller

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Deeney* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 8th day of August 1838*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Centre County Pa appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Deeney* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th day of*
January A.D. 1849

Michael Deeney

petitioner *Michael Deeney* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael Deeney* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th day of*
January 1849.

Daniel Mullin

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

PENNSYLVANIA,

Centre County, ss:



At a Court of Common Pleas holden in Bellefonte, in and for Centre county,
in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on the *Twenty Eighth* day of
August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
Thirty Eight, on the Petition of *Michael Deeny*
an alien, and a native of *Ireland*

being presented and read, signifying his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States agreeably
to the provisions of the acts of Congress in such cases made and provided, he, the said *Michael*
Deeny, having in open Court, taken and subscribed the oath according to law, was
permitted to file his said petition, declaration of intention, registry, and report accordingly, and the same
are so filed and registered.

In Witness Whereof, I, *John J Hoover*, Prothonotary of said Court,
have hereunto set my hand and seal at BELLEFONTE the same day. *25th day of October*

A.D. 1848

John J Hoover

PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of Intention
of
John Howell

Filed 6th July 1849

Completed

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the sixth day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine John Howell a native of Wales ~~John Howell~~ came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, John Howell a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of Janry A. D. 1849
Cor. H Sprague
clerk

John Howell

Evangelical

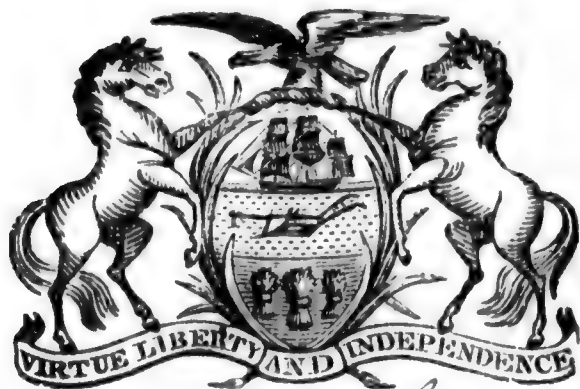
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,



Prothonotary of the

Sct.

George W. Riddle

County Common Pleas

of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Wednesday* the *23^d*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty-four* *Erasmus*

a native of

Italy

and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and ~~abjuring~~ all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *23^d*
day of *October* Anno Domini 18*44* and

of the Independence of the United States the *19th*

George W. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

William Hill

Certificate
of
Declaration

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.



I,

Prothonotary of the

George R. Riddle
Court of Common Pleas

of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Friday* the *20*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four* - *William Hill*

a native of

England

and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *20*

day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and of

the Independence of the United States, the *69*

Geo R Riddle

PROTHONOTARY

Declaration of Intention
of
David Jones

Filed 6th Jan'y 1849

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May April March
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine David Jones
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I David Jones a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of May A. D. 1849
Cor. W. Speake
clerk

David ^{his} Jones
mark

Declaration of Intention,
of
David Lewis

Filed Jan'y 6th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 25th day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty ~~three~~ David Lewis
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I David Lewis a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of January A. D. 1849

Cor.

H. Spaul
clerk

David Lewis

Declaration of Intentions
of
Morgan Morgan
a Native of Wales

Given 6th January 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Sixth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty *nine* *Morgan Morgan* a native of *Wales* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *Morgan Morgans* a native of *Wales* and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *6th* day

of *January* A. D. 1849

Cor.

W. Sproul
Clerk

Morgan Morgans

Declaration of Intention
of
Mary Prichard

GIVEN 6 January 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine. Henry Pritchard a native of Wales " came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Henry Pritchard a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of Jan'y A. D. 1849
Cor. H. Spruill
clerk

Henry Pritchard
his
mark

Declaration of Intentions
of
Evan Watkins

Filed 6th Aug 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 17th day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Evan Watkins
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Evan Watkins a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of January A. D. 1849
Cor. W. Spear
Clerk

Evan Watkins

Declaration of Sentiments
of
David Williams

Feb 2nd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the sixth day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine David Williams a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I David Williams a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of January A. D. 1849

Cor.

Nancy Spauld
clerk

David Williams
his
mark

Declaration of
John Jenkins

Yulea Nov 15th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 15th day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine John Jenkins
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Jenkins a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Gr^t Br^t Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15th day
of January A. D. 1849
Cor. W Spinal
Clk

John Jenkins

Resolution of
David Dany,

Filed 15th Aug 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the fifteenth day of July in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fortynine David Parry
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I David Parry a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Gt Brit & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15th day
of July A. D. 1849
Cor. H. Spruel
Clerk

David Parry
Mar

Augusto Alter,

Filed January 26 1849.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty sixth* day of *January* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*nine*

Auguste Alter a native of *France*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Auguste Alter* — a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *26*
day of *January* A. D. 184*9* } *Auguste Alter*
COR.

Christian Scatter

Filice Jany 26-1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the 26th day of January in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-
three
Christian Hertlein a native of Prussia
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, Christian Hertlein a native of Prussia
and heretofore a ~~subject of the queen~~ ^{King of Prussia} of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 26th
day of January A. D. 1849 }
COR.

Christian Hertlein

Declaration of
John L. Jeffries

Filed Feb 7, 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the first day of February in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine John L. Jeffries
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John L. Jeffries a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 1st day
of Feb A. D. 1849
Cor. H. Spruce
Clk

John L. Jeffries

Declaration of Substitution
John B Moore

Filed 3rd Feby
1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 3rd day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine *John B. Moore* a native of *Ireland* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John B. Moore a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 3rd day
of *Feb* A. D. 1849.

Cor.

W. Sproul
Clerk

J B Moore

Lucas Miller

Filed Feb 3rd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the _____ day of _____ in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Lucas Miller a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, _____ a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of ~~Great Britain and Ireland~~, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *30*
day of *Feb* A. D. 184*6* } *Lucas Miller*
COR.

Matthias Goss
Declaration of
Intentions

Filed February 22nd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 22nd day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, Matthias Goss a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Matthias Goss a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the King of Württemberg do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Württemberg whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 22nd day
of February, A. D. 1849 }
Cor.

Matthias Goss

Lewis Hault
Declaration

Filed, Feby 22nd 1848

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 22nd day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine Lewis Hault a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Lewis Hault a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the Grand Duke of Hesse do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grand Duke of Hesse whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 22nd day
of February A. D. 1849

Cor.

Lewis Hault

Peter Reisterer
Declarations of
Intentions

Filed February 22nd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 22nd day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine, Peter Reister a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Peter Reister a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the Duke of Baden do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 22nd day
of February A. D. 1849 }
Cor.

Peter Reister

Philip Scholl's
Declaration of Intention

~~Filed, February 28th 1848~~
Febry 29th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 28 day of Feby. in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine. Philip Scholl
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Philip Scholl a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Grand Duke of Baden do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grand Duke
of Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 28th day
of Feby. A. D. 1849
Cor. H. Spraul
Clerk

Philip Scholl

Declaration of
Thomas Stevens

Taken March 1st 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the first day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Thomas Stevens a native of England came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Thomas Stevens a native of England and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this first day
of March A. D. 1844

Cor.

H. Spruill
Clerk

Thomas Stevens

Michael Holzman
Declarative of Intentions

Filed March 3^d 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the third day of March in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine. Michael Holzman a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Michael Holzman a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the Duke of Baden do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of Baden whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this third day
of March A. D. 1849 } M Holzman
Cor. H. Spruel
clerk

Declaration of Joseph
Higgin

^{26th}
Filed March, 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 26th day of March in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Joseph Myers
a native of King of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Joseph Myers a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the King of Bavaria do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of
Bavaria whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 26th day
of March A. D. 1849

Cor.

H. Spruel
Clerk

Joseph Myers

Andrew Christy

Filed March 24 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District :

The petition of *Andrew Christy*
of *Pittsburgh* ———— Humbly sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Scotland* ———— and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *ninth* day of *June* —
A. D., 18 *37* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *the Clerk of the*
District Court U. S. W. H. of Pa. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*,
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Andrew Christy* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *24th* day of *March* A. D. 184 *9* }

Andrew Christy

I, *R. B. Adams* — do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Andrew*
Christy resides in *Pittsburgh* *Allegheny* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *24th* day of *March* A. D. 184 *9* }

R. B. Adams

Certificate of Sacra-
ment of Institution of
Pastors to Ministry -
June 9th 1837 -

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania. } *scd.*

I, *Edward J. Roberts* — Clerk of
the District Court of the United States in and
for the District aforesaid, hereby certify, that
at Pittsburgh, in the said District, on the
17th — day of *June* —
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and thirty *seven*.

Andrew Christy —
a native of *Ireland* — and heretofore a subject
of the king of Great Britain and Ireland, came before the Clerk of
the said Court, and having been duly sworn according to law, made
his declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to be-
come a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure
all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or
sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure all
allegiance and fidelity to the king of Great Britain and Ireland,
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and
affixed the Seal of the said court, at Pittsburgh, this *17th* —
day of *June* — A. D. 1837. and in the *sixty first*
year of the Independence of the said United States.

E. J. Roberts
602.

Reynolds.

to your self in

Edward

to your self

Felia

March 21st 1849

and to your self in the year of 1849

to your

and

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *twenty first* day of *March* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty- *nine*

Edward Reynolds a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Edward Reynolds* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *21st*
day of *March* A. D. 184*9*
COR.

Edw^d Reynolds

James Smith

Died March 16 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *James Smith*
of *Armstrong County* Humbly Sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *15th* day of *June*
A. D., 18 *46* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary of the Court of Common Pleas of Armstrong Co.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Smith* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *16th* day of *March* A. D. 184 *9*.

James T. Smith
Mark

I, *Peter Williams* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *James Smith* resides in *Armstrong Co Pa* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Peter Williams

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *16th* day of *March* A. D. 184 *9*.

Declaration of Intention
to become a Citizen of
the United States

of
James Smith

Filed 15 June 1846

State of Pennsylvania }
 Armstrong County Set } And now to Wit the 15th day of June
 1846 before the Judges of the Court of Common
 Pleas in and for the County of Armstrong in open Court personally appeared
 James Smith a native of that part of the United Kingdom of Great
 Britain & Ireland called Ireland who being duly sworn on his
 solemn oath deposeth and saith and declares that he is now thirty
 nine years of age that he was born in the County of Meath
 Ireland that he left Ireland at the Port of Dublin in the Month
 of April 1837 and arrived at Hogsburgh N.Y. in the United States
 in the Month of June 1837. That it is his bonafide intention to
 become a citizen of the United States and that he doth hereby relin-
 quish and renounce forever any title or order of Nobility to
 which he is now or may hereafter become entitled to in any manner
 that he doth hereby renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and
 fidelity to any foreign Prince Potentate State or Sovereignty whatever
 and particularly to Victoria the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great
 Britain & Ireland of whom he was heretofore a Subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open
 Court this 15th day of June
 1846 forty six

James ^{his} Smith
 mark

J E Meredith Pro

Witness Wm F Johnston

State of Pennsylvania }
 Armstrong County Set } J. J. E Meredith Prothonotary of the Court of
 Common Pleas of Armstrong County do certify that
 the foregoing is a correct and true copy of the Decla-
 -ration of Intention of James Smith as full and
 entire as the same remains of Record in said
 Court. In Testimony Whereof I have hereto
 set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court at Kittanning
 the 26th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand
 Eight hundred and forty six.

Attest J E Meredith Pro

Simon Snyder

Filix March 13 1849

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Simon Snyder*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

France

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Simon Snyder* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Government of France* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *13* day of *March*
A. D. 184*9*

his
S. T. Snyder
mark

I, *John H. Walker* of _____ the petitioner above named,
do swear that *Simon Snyder* has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *13*
day of *March*
Anno Domini 184*9*

John H. Walker

John S. Wilson

March 14th 1849 -

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John S. Wilson*
of *Pittsburgh* HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *twenty second* day of *September*
A. D., 18*45* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of*
the Circuit at W S W D. of Pa appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John S. Wilson* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the
of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *14* day of *March* A. D. 184*9* }

John S. Wilson

I, *Francis A. McMillan* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *John S.*
Wilson — resides in *Allegheny Co.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *14* day of *March* A. D. 184*9* }

F. A. McMillan

Certificate of Declara-
tion of Intentions of
John S. Wilson.

Sept. 22nd 1845.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
twenty second day of *September* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
five — *John S. Wilson* —
a native of *Ireland* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *twenty second* **day of** *September* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty-five and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the *Seventh* **th.**

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Release of
Timothy Bennett
for Voluntary

Yale Apr 2^d 1849

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Timothy Bennett* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *20th day of August 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*

Plen of Allegheny County Pa appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*

Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Timothy Bennett* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd day of April*
1849 *H. Sproule*

Timothy Bennett
John Reed do swear, that the
petitioner *Timothy Bennett* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Timothy has resided in the*
County of Allegheny

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2nd day of April*
1849 *H. Sproule*

John Reed

1844
Christy Bennett

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,

Sct.



Prothonotary of the

George R. Riddle

Court of Common Pleas

of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday* the *30*

day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four* *Ministry Bennett*

a native of *England*

and heretofore a subject of the

came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain and Ireland

been duly ^{affirmed} according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *30*

day of *August* Anno Domini 18*44* and

of the Independence of the United States the *69*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Hugh Campbell

Glasgow Apr⁴ 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the fourth day of April in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Hugh Campbell a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Hugh Campbell a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 4th day
of April A. D. 1849 }
Cor.

Hugh Campbell

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1849

dues of Great Britain and Ireland, subject I use heretofore a subject.

ever; and particularly to renounce and resign forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
every all allegiance and fidelity to and foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, and
the law intention to become a citizen of the United States and to renounce and resign for-
ever heretofore a subject of the duces of Great Britain and Ireland, so much that it is now
a subject of

in such cases made and provided as follows
making the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States
before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District and
a native of

born one thousand eight hundred and
at Pittsburgh on the

in the year of

Peter

Western District of Pennsylvania

UNITED STATES

John

Sept 23 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 23^d day of April in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

Peter McLaughlin a native of Ireland
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, Peter McLaughlin a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 23^d
day of April A. D. 1849 }
COR.

Peter McLaughlin

Declaration of
George Dickson

Taken May 3rd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the thence day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine. George Dickson a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I George Dickson a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this thence day
of May A. D. 1849 }
Cor. A. Spraul
Clerk

George Dickson

Declaration of
Enoch James

Filed May 7th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } st.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of May in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Enoch James
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Enoch James a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day
of May A. D. 1849
Cor. A. Sprout
Clerk

Enoch James

Autobiography of
Evan Jones

Filed May 7th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the seventh day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fortynine Evan James a native of Noles came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Evan James a native of Noles and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day
of May A. D. 1849
Cor.

H. Spruel

Evan James

Declaration of
Joseph Mason

Filed May 7th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of May in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fortynine Joseph Mason
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

Joseph Mason a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day
of May A. D. 1849
Cor. H. Spruill

his
Joseph Mason
Mosk

Adam Werner

Filled May 14th 1849

UNITED STATES,

Western District of Pennsylvania,

} *sct.*

At Pittsburgh, on the 11th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty- (nine)

Adam Werner a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States, in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, Adam Werner a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the ~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~ do swear, that it is bona fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~ whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 11th day of May A. D. 184 }
Cor.

Adam Werner

R. D. Roberts
Clerk

Declaration of Intentions
John Theophilus Griffiths

Filed 23 June 1829

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the twenty third day of June — in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Theophilus Griffiths native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 23 — day
of June A. D. 1849

Cor.

W. Spraul

clerk

John Theophilus Griffiths

Declaration of Intentions
Vitt Gregory - -

June
Filed 29th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 29th day of June in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Witt Gregory a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the King of the French do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King
of the French whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 29th day
of June A. D. 1849
Cor. A. Spauld

Witt Gregory

Declaration of Intentions
George Jacob Houg

Filed June 29th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 29th day of June in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty ~~nine~~ *one* a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *Carl Jacob Noy* a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *twenty ninth* day
of *June* A. D. 184*9*
Cor. *H. Sprout*

George Jacob Noy.

Rees Christmon

Filed July 2nd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 2nd day of July in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine. Rees Christmas
a native of Wales — came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Rees Christmas a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 2nd day
of July A. D. 1849

Cor.

A. Sprunt

Rees Christmas

William Phillips
Declaration of
Intentions

Gilled 6th August 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the sixth day of August in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I William Phillips a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of August A. D. 1849
Cor.

H. Spraul

William Phillips
mark

George Vaughan's
Declaration of
Intentions

Filed August 6th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Sixth* day of *August* in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty *Nine*
a native of *Wales* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I George Vaughan a native of *Wales* and heretofore
a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of*
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *6th* day
of *August* A. D. 1849
Cor. *H. Sprule*

George Vaughan

petition of David Corbitt
for to become a citizen of
the United States

Voucher
John Corbitt

Filed Sept 3rd 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *David Garlick* of *Allegheny Co.*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *second day of Nov. 1844* " " " "
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of *the this court* "
" " " " " " appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* —
Ireland — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *David Garlick* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* —
Ireland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2* Sept 1849

A Spraul
clks

David Garlick

petitioner *David Garlick* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *David Garlick* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *2* Sept 1849

A Spraul
clks

John Ferral

*Certificate of Declara-
tion of Intentions of
David Gaslin A.*

Nov. 20. 1844.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts*, Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Second ——— day of *November* —

A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-

four — *Levin Garlick* ———

a native of *Leamington England* — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Second* ——— *day of November* A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the sixty-ninth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Joseph A. Rippe

Filed Sept 10th 1849

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made in the year 1848, and the
came before the committee on the
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of the committee on the subject of
in the year of

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *twentieth* day of *September* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*nine*
Josias A. Rippard a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *J. A. Rippard* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *10th*
day of *Sept* A. D. 18*49*
COR.

Josias A. Rippard

R. B. Adams & Co. Secy.
AK

Wm. J. Jones
Declaration of Inten-
tion —

Filed September 28th
1849



UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Twenty-eight day of September in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine Mr. J. Jones a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I William J. Jones a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 28th day
of September A. D. 1849

Cor.

H. Spry
Clerk

William J. Jones

Petition of Saint Andrews
for Naturalization

Waverley
Wm. Hamillton

John Oct 1st 1849

Samuel Anderson

Certificate
of
Declaration


For \$100.00

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA. } Sect.

I *John Young* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com=
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer=
tify, that on Monday the *thirtieth* day of November
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty six* personally came before me,
Samuel Aderson a native of Ireland
and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating, that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and
renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, po=
tentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abju=
ring all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *thirtieth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *forty six* and of the Independence of the United States, the *71*

ATTEST,

John Young Clerk.

Section of ^{Peterson} ~~John~~ Murphy
for Naturalization

Voucher
Cornelius Murphy

Filed October 1st 1899

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE, OF THE COURT
of the United States & " " " "
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Pafytk*
John Murphy of Allegheny County

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

Pafytk
I, *John Murphy* _____ the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

John Murphy

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this / day of *Oct* 1849
~~A. D. 184~~

W. Spruill
Clk

I, *Cornelius Murphy* of *Allegheny County*
do swear that *John Murphy* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this /

day of *October*

Anno Domini 1849

W. Spruill
Clk

Cornelius Murphy

Petition of Hugh Mullin
for Naturalization

Deputy

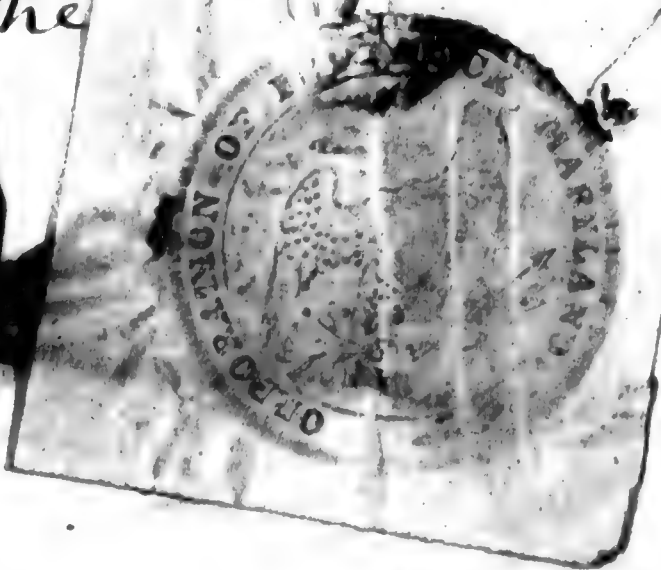
Thos. Hillman

Filed Oct 6th 1849

J
Mr. Hugh Mullin
Pittsburg Pa

Mayor's Office,
Frederick city, Maryland, February 10, 1849.

Personally appeared before me, the subscriber,
Mayor of Frederick city, Maryland, Michael Martney
and Hugh Mullin, Citizens of the United States
and residents of Frederick county, Maryland,
and makes oath on the Holy Evangel of Almighty
God that they know Hugh Mullin, the party
~~within named~~, as applicant to the Baltimore City
Court, and that he has resided in the United
States over the last five years preceding this
date and that they know him to be a man
of good moral character and believe him
to be firmly attached to the Constitution of
the States and a good Citizen.



Given from under my hand
and seal of Office this 10th day
of February, in the year of
our Lord One thousand, eight
hundred and forty nine

M. E. Bartley,
Mayor of Frederick.

A. Schley Recd.

STATE OF MARYLAND,

CITY OF BALTIMORE, to wit.

At a Baltimore City Court begun and held at the Court House, in the City of Baltimore, in and for the City aforesaid, on the *first* Monday of *June* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty *five* for the trial of all felonies and other crimes, offences and misdemeanors, committed in the City of Baltimore:—

PRESENT,

The Honorable

Nicholas Prince

Chief Judge.

Alfred N. S. S. S.

William G. D. D. D.

Associate Judges.

Nicholas Tracy Esquire, Sheriff.

William H. G. G. Clerk.

Among other were the following proceedings, to wit: on the *23* day of *June* 184*5*, *Hugh Miller* a native of *Ireland* comes into said Court here and makes Oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever, and particularly all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland* of whom he was heretofore a subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of Baltimore City Court, this *ninth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty *eight*

Wm H G G
Clerk of Baltimore City Court.

Mayor's Office.

Frederick City, December 28, 1840.

Personally appeared before me, the
Subscribed, Mayor of Frederick City, Maryland,
Hugh Mullin, a resident of Frederick County,
Maryland, and makes oath on the Holy
Evangelists of Almighty God that he knows
Hugh Mullin, the party within named,
has resided in the United States five
years preceding this date and that he
believes him to be firmly attached to the
Constitution of the United States and a
good citizen.

Given under my hand
and seal of office the day
and date above.

M. E. Bartgis,
Mayor of Frederick

S. Schley Recd.

Declaration of
John G Macky

Filed Oct 6th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the sixth day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine. John G. Mackay a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John G. Mackay a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this sixth day
of October A. D. 1849.
Cor. A. Sprule
clerk

John G. Mackay

Petition of Roger W. Conant
for Naturalization

Vouches
Patrick Clarke

Filed October 6th 1849

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Rodger M. Cormick* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five years* " " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* " " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *15th day of October 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *County of Essex*
in the State of New Jersey appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain &*

Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Rodger M. Cormick* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Oct 1849*
A Spruill Clerk

Rodger M. Cormick

I Patrick Clark do swear, that the
petitioner *Rodger M. Cormick* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *Five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *M. Cormick* *resides in Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *6th Oct 1849*
A Spruill Clerk

his
Patrick Clark
Mark

STATE OF NEW-JERSEY, }
COUNTY OF ESSEX, } SS.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the *fifteenth* day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty *four* before me, **JOHN P. JACKSON**, Clerk of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County of Essex aforesaid, personally appeared *Rodger Mc Cormick* an Alien, a native of *Ireland*

who being by me duly sworn according to law, on his oath doth declare and say that he is *bona fide* his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to *Victoria Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland of which Queen he is at this time a Subject*

Sworn and Subscribed before me,
the day and year aforesaid.

J P Jackson Clk

Rodger Mc Cormick

STATE OF NEW-JERSEY, }
COUNTY OF ESSEX, } SS.

I, **JOHN P. JACKSON**, Clerk of the Inferior Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Essex aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true Copy of the "Declaration of Intention to become a Citizen of the United States," of *Rodger Mc Cormick* as the same remains affiled of record in my office

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the Seal of the said Court, at Newark, in the Couty of Essex aforesaid, the

fifteenth day of *October*

in the year of Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty *four*

J P Jackson Clk

Petition of Emence
Fay, for Naturalization

Attest
P. B. Roberts

Filed October 16 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the ^{limit} District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *Jerome Hay* —
of *Pittsburgh* — HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* — and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that ~~that~~ /

he has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *eleventh* day of *July*
A. D., 18*44* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Saratoga County Court New York appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*,
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Jerome Hay* — do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland, of which I was heretofore a subject.

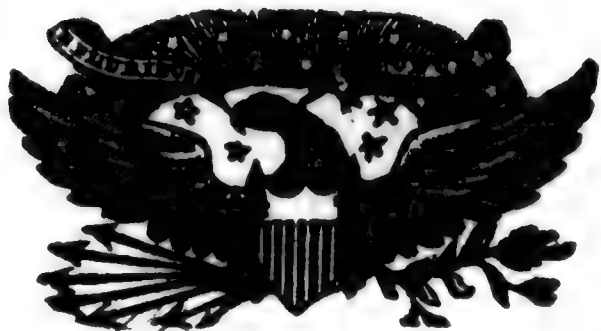
Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *October* A. D. 184*9*

his
Jerome Hay
Mark

I, *R. B. Roberts* — do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Jerome*
Hay — resides in *Allegheny County Pa.* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *October* A. D. 184*9*.

R. B. Roberts.



In the Court of Common Pleas, hold in and for
the County of Saratoga, at the Court House in the
Village of Ballston Spa, on the 11th day of
July 1844

J. Lawrence Fay late of the County
of *Davan* in Ireland whence I emigrated, do Certify
and Declare, on oath, before this Honorable Court, that it is bona fide my intention to
become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State, or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly
to ~~Victor Emmanuel~~ *William IVth*, King of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof
I am now a subject.

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court,
this 11th day of July 1844

J. Lawrence Fay
mark

SARATOGA COUNTY, ss. 1

Norace Goodrich Clerk of the said County do certify, that
I have carefully compared the above with the Record of the Minutes
of the said Court, and the same is a transcript thereof.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name, and
affixed my seal of office this 11th day of July 1844

Norace Goodrich Clerk

Petition for Catech-
ization of John
Rowlands

Filed Oct 6, 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *John Rowlands*
of _____ HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Wales* and was heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *first* day of *March*
A. D., 1849 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the*
Circuit Court of the U.S. B. C. of Pa. appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States; and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great B. & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *John Rowlands* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *October* A. D. 1849. }
H. Spruill
Clerk

John Rowlands
Male

I, *Isaac Williams* " " " do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *Rowlands* has
resides in *Allegheny County* all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *Oct* A. D. 1849. }

H. Spruill
Clerk

Isaac Williams

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of
Peter Rowland

March 1st 1847.

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edw. J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
first ——— day of *March* —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
seven *John Rowlands* —
a native of *Malta* ——— came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *first* ——— **day of** *March* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *seven* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy- *first*

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Petition of John Wilbur
for Naturalization

Filed Oct 6th 1849

Circuit

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
of the United States
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *John Willent* of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Guernsey*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *John Willent*

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Houlberg* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Joseph Willent

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 6th day of October
A. D. 1849

W. Spence

I, *Andrew Worley* of *Allegheny County*

do swear that *John Willent* the petitioner above named, has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this 6th
day of October

Anno Domini 1849

Andrew Worley

W. Spence

Petition of James Wade
for Naturalization

Vouches
Daniel M. Shuman

Filed Oct 6th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of James Wade of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland "
" " " " that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America Five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that Two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on fourth day of Oct. 1847 "
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Circuit Court of
the United States for this District " " " " appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland " " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, James Wade " " do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th October 1849
Henry Spraul, Clerk

James Wade

do swear, that the
petitioner James Wade " " has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said James Wade has resided in the
County of Allegheny and State of Pennsylvania

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 6th Oct 1849
Henry Spraul, Clerk

Daniel McHarris

James Baird a
Notary of Culme

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Henry Spruells* > Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
fourth — day of *October*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
seven *James Wade* — — —
a native of *Ireland* — — — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *fourth* **day of** *October* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *seven* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy- *second* .

H. Spruells > Clerk.
[Signature]

Declaration of
Robert Woods

Filed 6th Oct 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 1st day of October in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Robert Woods
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Robert Woods a native of Ireland and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of October A. D. 1849 }
Cor. A Spruel
Clk

Robert Woods

Petition of George
N. Blankinship for
Naturalization

Vouches
George R. H.

Filed Oct 8th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Geo A Blankenheller* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Bavaria* " " "
" " " that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* " " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* " " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *2^d Nov: 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court of*
the U S for the West of Maryland appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Bavaria*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Geo A Blankenheller* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria* " " "
" " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th day of Oct 1844*
A Sprout, Clerk

Geo A Blankenheller

petitioner *Geo A Blankenheller* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *two* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Geo A Blankenheller*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th day of Oct 1844*
A Sprout, Clerk

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United States of America,

DISTRICT OF MARYLAND to wit:

Circuit Court Office, Baltimore, *November 2* — 184*4*

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on the day of the date hereof, personally appeared in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the United States, for the Fourth Circuit, in and for the Maryland District, *Engel Blankenbiller* a native of *Bavaria* and at present residing in the *City* of *Baltimore* who made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that it is bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce for ever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign Prince, Potentate, State and Sovereignty whatever, and particularly all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Bavaria*

In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal of the said Circuit Court, this *second* day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty *four*

J. H. Spencer

George Bowne's
deduction of Intimations

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Feb. Oct 8th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the day of in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty *George Bawersack*
a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *George Bawersack* a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Bavaria* do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of*
Bavaria " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *8th* day
of *October* A. D. 184*9*
Cor. *A Sprule*
clerk

George Bawersack

Petition of James Dickson
for Naturalization

(Vouches
Walter S. Blythe

Filed Oct 8th 1879

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *James Dickson* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five years* " " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* " " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *23rd day of Sept 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County* appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *James Dickson* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th Oct 1849*
Henry Spraul, Clerk

petitioner *James Dickson* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *James Dickson* has resided
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th October 1849*
H Spraul Clerk

Walter H. Blythe

Charles Dickens

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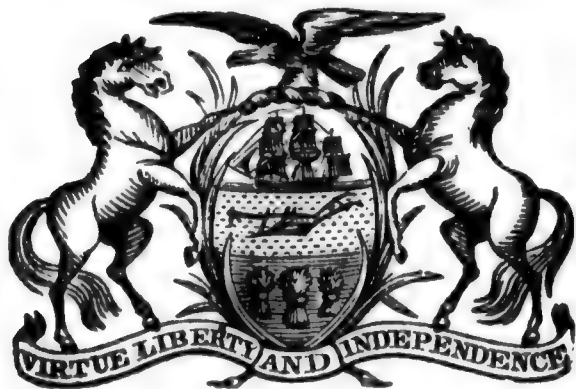
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

Sct.

I,

George R. Riddle



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *23*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty four* *James Dickson*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *23*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*44* and

of the Independence of the United States the *69*

George R. Riddle

PROTHONOTARY.

Charles G Hoffmann

Declaration of Intention

Filed Oct 8th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Eighth day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Charles G Hoffmann a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Charles G Hoffmann a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the King of Saxony do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Saxony whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 8th day
of October A. D. 1849 }
Cor. A. Spraul
clerk

Charles G Hoffmann

Petition of Christian Pro-
duce for Naturalization

Vouches
J^{no} Moriman

Filed Oct 8th 1849

UNITED STATES, }
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Christian Knudson* of *Ally County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Honore* " " and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of the French*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five years* " " " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* " " " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *10th day of August 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Ally County appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of France* —

" " " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Christian Knudson* " " do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of France* " " " "
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th day of Oct 1844*
A Sprout, Clerk

Christian Knudson

petitioner *Christian Knudson* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Knudson has resided in Ally*
County &c

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th Oct 1844*
A Sprout Clerk

Samuel Newman

Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Sct.**

I, *Thomas Parley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Saturday* the *10*th day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Christian Schroeder a native of *France*
and heretofore a subject of the *King* of *France*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King* of *France*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *10*th day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Thomas Parley Clerk.

Publication of Gudem
Knodner for State
Religion

Voucher
Christian Mission

Filed October 8th 1849

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TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Frederick Knochen* of *Allegheny County*

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Prussia*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Frederick Knochen* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of the French* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *8th* day of *October*
A. D. 184*9*

A. Sprules Clerk

Frederick Knochen

I, *Christian Knochen* of *Allegheny*
do swear that *Frederick Knochen* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this *8th*
day of *October*
Anno Domini 184*9*

A. Sprules Clerk

Christian Knochen

Petition of Michael Miller
= for Naturalization

Deacon
Wm B McConlogue

Filed Oct 8th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Milligan* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* " " " and
was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *Five years* " " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* " " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *10th day of May 1847* " " " your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Plies of Allegheny County " " " appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland " " " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Milligan* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th Oct 1849*

A Sprout. Clerk

Michael Milligan
M. Milligan

petitioner

Wm B Conlogue do swear, that the
has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Milligan* has resided in *Allegheny*
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *8th Oct 1849*

A Sprout Clerk

Wm B Conlogue

Michael Milligan

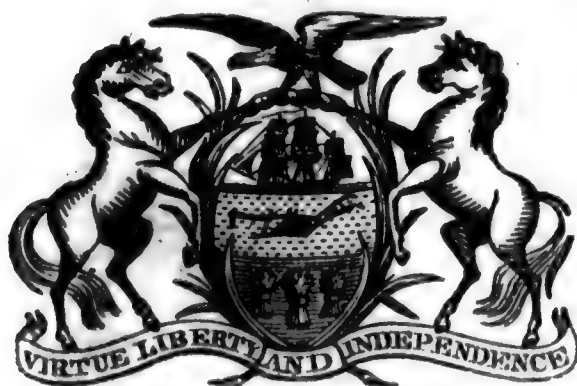
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May 10 1847

Geo P. H. W.

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, } Sct.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,

I,



Wm. Hult
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *10th*
day of *May* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *forty seven*.

Michael Milligan
a native of *Ireland* and heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *10th*
day of *May* Anno Domini 1847 and of
the Independence of the United States, the *7th*

Wm. Hult
PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of John
Mott

Taken Oct 5th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Eighth day of October in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fortyfour. John Merkle
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Merkle a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of
Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 8th day
of October A. D. 1844

Cor.

A. Spruel
Clerk

John Merkle

Declaration of John
Staley

Filed Oct 8th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Eighth day of October in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine John Neely
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Neely a native of Ireland and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 8th day
of October A. D. 1849
Cor. Stephen Clark

John Neely

Petition of Benjamin
Clark for Naturalization

Voucher
Thos. Rowson

Filed 9th Oct 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Benjamin Clarke* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 9th day of October 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of quarter*
sessions of the Peace of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Benjamin Clarke* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of October*
1849 *A. Spencer*
clerk

Benjamin Clarke

petitioner *Benjamin Clarke* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Benjamin Clarke* has resided in *Allegheny County*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sct.



I, JOHN YOUNG, Jr., Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *9th* day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *forty seven* *Benjamin Clark* a native of *England* and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *ninth* day of *October* Anno Domini, 18 *47* and of the Independence of the United States, the seventy *Second*.

John Young Jr. Clerk.

Petition of William
McKenna for
Naturalization
Vouches
John W. Kellogg

Gile Oct 20th
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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *William M. Turner* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *14th day of July 1844 Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *five years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *10th day of July 1849*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *County of Allegheny*
monarchs of Allegheny County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Wm M Turner* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of Oct 1849*

William M. Turner

petitioner *Wm M Turner* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *William M. Turner*

Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of Oct 1849*

John M. Kelley

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
Sct.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I, *Niram Shultz*

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *10th*
day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty seven*. *William McKenna*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *10th*
day of *July* Anno Domini 18*47* and
of the Independence of the United States the *72nd*

Niram Shultz

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of Henry
Helen for Naturali-
zation.

Boucher
John Sayre

Given October 9th
1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Henry Nillien* of *Prussia*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *20th Sept 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Supreme Court*
of the State of Penn^a appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Henry Nillien* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9 Oct 1849*
A. Sprunt Clerk.

Henry Nillien

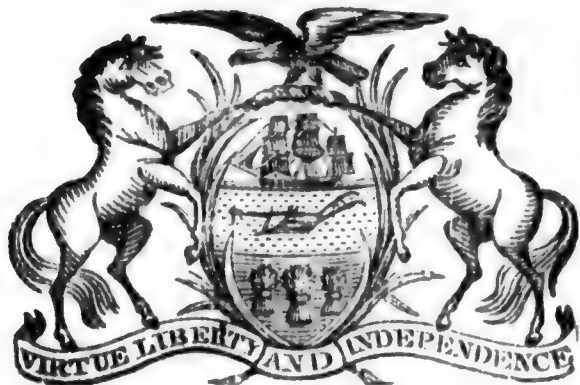
petitioner *Henry Nillien* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Henry Nillien* has resided in all
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all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9 Oct 1849*
A. Sprunt Clerk.

John Sargel

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I, *Amos L. Pentland*

Prothonotary of the *Supreme Court of Pa. West Dist. sitting at* *is*
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Friday* the *20th*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *Forty four*. *At Every*

Kilian a native of *Germany* — and heretofore a subject of the
King of Prussia — came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* —
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *20th*
day of *September* Anno Domini 1844 and
of the Independence of the United States the *Sixty Ninth*

A. L. Pentland PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of Bartley
M. Meloy for
Naturalization

Vouches
John M. Meloy

Glasg^o Oct 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Bartley M. Kelly* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *6th day of January 1845*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of *the this court*

appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ire-*
land whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Bartley M. Kelly* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of Oct*
1849 *A. Spraul*
Clerk

Bartley M. Kelly

petitioner *Bartley M. Kelly* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Bartley* has resided in *Alle-*
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all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th Oct 1849*
A. Spraul
Clerk

John M. Kelly

Certificate of Declaration
of Intention of
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of the subject named and also
and declared his intention

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Edward J. Roberts* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Sixth day of *January*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
five *Bartholomew (or Kelly)*
a native of *Ireland* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, *I have hereunto set my*
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Sixth* *—* *day of January* *A. D. one*
thousand eight hundred and forty-five *and of the Indepen-*
dence of the United States the sixty-ninth.

E. J. Roberts Clerk.

Journal of Michael
Hales for Naturalists

Revised
John M. Hales

June 1st 9th 1849

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Left New York for
the purpose of visiting
the various points of
interest in the
State of New York
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countries.

Wm. H. Hales
June 1st 1849

Declaration of Inten-
tions of Michael Knicker
to become a Citizen of
the U S States

July 10th 1847

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Henry Spraul* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Tenth — — day of *July* — —
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
seven *Michael Knulio* — — —
a native of *Ireland* — — — came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *Tenth* **day of** *July* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *seven* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy-second — — —

H. Spraul

Clerk.

Petition of Patrick
Murphy for Natural-
ization

Vouches

Peter M. Williams

Filed Oct 9th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of

Patrick Murphy of *Pittsburgh*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 9th day of October 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*

Pleas of Allegheny County appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Patrick Murphy*

do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of October*
1849 *Henry Sproule Clerk*

Patrick Murphy
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petitioner *Patrick Murphy* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Patrick* has resided in *Allegheny*
County.

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

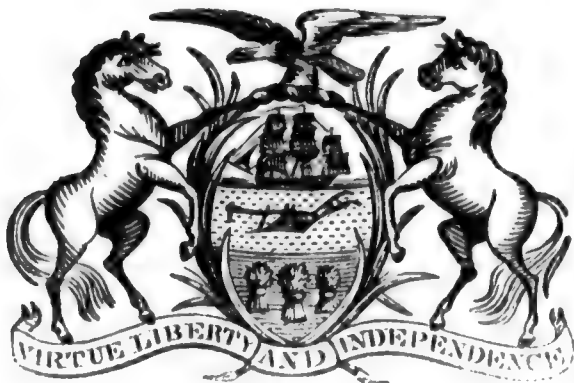
Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of October*
1849 *Henry Sproule Clerk*

Patrick Murphy
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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } Sect.



I, *Miriam Mully*

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of

Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *9th*

day of *October* in the year of our Lord, one thousand

eight hundred and *forty seven*.

a native of *Ireland*

Patrick Murphy and heretofore a subject of the

came before me, and having

been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-

tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty

whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance

and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my

hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *9th*

day of *October* Anno Domini 1847 and of

the Independence of the United States, the *72^d*

Miriam Mully

PROTHONOTARY.

Petition of Michael
Pauff for Naturalization

October 9th 1849

Vouched
Morton Krum

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael Paufl* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Germany* and
was heretofore a subject of the *King of Prussia*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *20th day of April 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Quarter*
Sessions of Allegheny appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *King of Prussia* "

" " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael Paufl* " do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia* " "
" " " " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of Oct 1849*
A Sproule Clerk

Michael Paufl

petitioner *Michael Paufl* do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael has resided in Allegheny*
County Pa

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th day of Oct 1849*
A Sproule Clerk

Martin Riem

1847

Michael Pauff's

Certificate
of

Declaration of Intention

THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, } *Sct.*



I, JOHN YOUNG, Jr., Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents certify, that on *Wednesday* the *twentieth* day of *April* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and *Forty Seven* *Michael Pauff* a native of *Germany* and heretofore a subject of the *King of Rome* came before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Rome* whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *twentieth* day of *April* Anno Domini, 18*47* and of the Independence of the United States, the seventy *first*.

John Young Jr.

Clerk.

Declaration of John
Angel

John Angel 9th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *John Sarger* day of in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty
a native of *Germany* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *John Sarger* a native of *Germany* and heretofore
a subject of the *King of Prussia* do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *King of Prussia*
..... whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *9th* day
of *October* A. D. 184*9* }
Cor. *H. Spaul*

John Sarger

Petition of Adam
Zachary for State
relief -

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Mary Simkellum

Filed 9 Oct 1849

To The Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the U. States
for the West District of Pa. Of Allegheny County.
THE PETITION OF Adam Zehfus

RESPECTFULLY SHEWETH, That your Petitioner is a native of *Hellr Harnstadt*
and heretofore a subject of the *Grand Duke of Hesse*
that he has resided within the limits and under
the jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year; and that two years prior to this application, that is to say,
on the *20th* day of *December* in the year eighteen hundred and forty *th*
your Petitioner declared his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, in the
manner required by law, as in and by the Certificate of *Hiram Hultz*
Justice of the Court of Common Pleas appears. Your Petitioner, therefore, prays
that he may be admitted a citizen of the United States, upon his taking the oaths and
producing the testimony required by Law; and he will pray, &c. 1)

I, *Adam Zehfus* do swear that the
facts set forth in this my petition are true; that I will support the Constitution of the United
States; I do absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity
to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever; and particularly I do here-
by renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of*
Hesse of whom I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court, this }
9th day of *Oct* 184*9* }

I, *Henry Dirnheller* A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, do swear that the
Petitioner, *Adam Zehfus* has resided within the limits and under the juris-
diction of the United States of America five years last past, and within the State of Pennsyl-
vania one year: to wit, in

Allegheny County

which place is within and under the Constitution of the United States; and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness
of the same

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court, this }
9th day of *Oct* 184*9* }

Sworn in the Presence of Judge J. J. J.

1826

Declaration of intention

Adam Schufeldt

District Court of

Allegheny County

ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
State of Pennsylvania, } set.

I, *Hiram Maltz* PROTHONOTARY of the
Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County
of Allegheny, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents CERTIFY, that on *Saturday* the
26th day of *December* in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*six*

Adam Zehfus — a native of *Hesse Darmstadt* and heretofore
a subject of the *Grand Duke of Hesse* — came before
me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it
was BONA FIDE HIS INTENTION TO BECOME A CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and re-
nouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, ~~state~~
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Hesse* — whereof he
was a former subject.

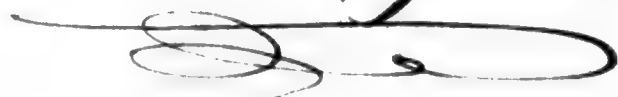
In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal
of the said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *Twenty Sixth* day of *December* — in
the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-*six* and of the
Independence of the United States, the *Seventy first*

ATTEST:

Hiram Maltz
Prothonotary

Petition of Michael
McKelvey for statu-
tization

Vouches
John McKelvey

Filed October 11th
1849


UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Michael McElroy* of *the 6th Ward*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *10 day of July 1847* "
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County* appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain*
Ireland — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Michael McElroy* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain*
and Ireland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9th Oct 1849*
A Spraul

Michael McElroy

I, *John McElroy* — do swear, that the
petitioner *Michael McElroy* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Michael* has resided in *Allegheny*
County ;

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *9 Oct 1849*
A Spraul
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John McElroy

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
Sct.

ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I, *Wiram Mully*

Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* the *10th*
day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty seven*, *Michael McKeely*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *10th*
day of *July* Anno Domini 1847 and
of the Independence of the United States the *72^d*

Wiram Mully

PROTHONOTARY.

Declaration of
Philip Crowley

Filed Oct 15th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the ~~fourteenth~~ day of ~~October~~ in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine. ~~Philip Crowley~~
a native of ~~Ireland~~ came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I ~~Philip Crowley~~ native of ~~Ireland~~ and heretofore a subject of the ~~Queen of Great Britain~~ do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the ~~Queen of Great Britain~~ whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15th day
of ~~October~~ A. D. 1849 }
Cor.

Philip Crowley

Charles Standers
Declaration

Filed 16 Oct 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventeenth day of October in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Charles Stender
a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Charles Stender a native of Germany and heretofore
a subject of the Duke of Brunswick do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Duke of
Brunswick whosoever I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 16th day
of October A. D. 1849
Cor. A. Sprule
Clerk

C. Stender

John Henry
Münch

Filed Oct 18th 1849

in such cases made and published as follows:
made the following declaration of intention of the United States;
consequence the Clerk of the District Court of the District and
out of the District Court of the District and
VI. In the year of

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the _____ day of _____ in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

John Mentz — a native of *Germany*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *John Mentz* a native of
and heretofore a subject of the ~~queen of Great Britain and Ireland~~, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *18th*
day of *October* A. D. 184*9* } *Joel M. Munn*
COR.

Robert Parlow

Filed October 26 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of Robert Darlow
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
of England and was heretofore a subject of the
native of Queen of Great B. & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the 30th day of September
A. D., 18 45 your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the Clerk of
the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the Queen of G. B. & Ireland
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Robert Darlow do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 26 day of October A. D. 1849 }

Robt. Darlow

I, C. S. Eyster do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said Robert
Darlow resides in Ohio County Virginia all of
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this 26 day of October A. D. 1849 }

C. S. Eyster

Robert Barlow

Certificate of
Declaration of Intention

State of Pennsylvania, }
Western District. } act.

I *William M. Candless*

Prothonotary of the Supreme Court in and for the said
District, do by these presents certify, that on *Tuesday*

the *thirtieth*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one

thousand eight hundred and ~~twenty~~ *forty five* person-
ally came before me *Robert Parlow*

a native of *England*
and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his

Britain, Ireland

declaration, stating, that it was bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state
or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity
to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the Seal of the
said Court, at the City of Pittsburgh, this *30th* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~twenty~~ *forty five* - and
of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty ninth*

ATTEST.

Wm. M. Candless
Prothonotary

Petition of Thomas
Roddy for Naturaliza-
tion

Voucher
Oliver Rully

Filed 5th November
1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Thomas Roddy of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Ireland and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain and Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,
that is to say, on the 18th day of September A D 1847
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Common
Plas of Clarion County appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain &
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Thomas Roddy do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain and
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 5th day of Novr
1849 Alfred E. Eln

Thomas Roddy
Made

petitioner Thomas Roddy do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Thomas has resided in Allegheny
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 5th day of Novr 1849

Owen Kelly

CLARION COUNTY,
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

SCT.

I, *W. A. Thompson* Prothonotary of the
the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the County of
Clarion, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do...
by these presents certify, that on *Saturday* —
the *Eighteenth* day of *September*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and forty- *Seven*

Thomas Brady
a native of *Ireland* — and heretofore a

subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* — came
before me, and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that
it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever,
and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of*
Great Britain & Ireland — whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have herennto set my hand, and affixed the seal of the said
Court, at Clarion, this *Eighteenth* day of *September* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty- *Seven* and of the Independence of the
United States, the *Seventy-Second*

ATTEST,

W. A. Thompson PRO.

Andrew Graham

Filed November 6th 1849.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *Andrew Graham*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *Andrew Graham* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Andrew Graham

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6th* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *9*

I, *George Junston* of *Pittsburgh*
do swear that *Andrew Graham* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6th day of *November*
Anno Domini 184 *9*

George Junston

Ebenezer Lowry

Filia November 26 1849.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Ebenezer Sourie

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Ebenezer Sourie

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184 *9*

Ebenezer Sourie

I,

George Timon

of

Pittsburgh

do swear that

Eb. Sourie

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States:

Sworn and subscribed, this
6 day of *November*
Anno Domini 184 *9*

George Timon

William H. Young

Filed November 6 1884

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of *William W. Young*
Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of *Ireland*

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I, *William W. Young* the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
William W. Young
whereof I was heretofore a subject

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *6* day of *November*
A. D. 184*9*

I, *George Funston* of *Pittsburgh*
do swear that *William W. Young* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this
6 day of *November*
Anno Domini 184*9*

George Funston

Thos J Griffiths

Filed Nov^r 15 1844

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the fifteenth day of November in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Thos^r J Griffiths
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

Thos^r J Griffiths a native of and heretofore
a subject of the do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15 day
of Nov^r A. D. 1849
Cor. W. Spear
clerk

Thomas J Griffiths

Stephen G. Jenkins

Feb. 15th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 15th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine Stephen D Jenkins a native of Wales — came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Stephen D Jenkins a native of Wales — and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15th day
of Novr A. D. 1849

Cor.

Wm Spruel
Clerk

Stephen D Jenkins

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Julia Nov. 15th 1879

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 15th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine James C. Reynish a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

James C. Reynish a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 15th day
of Nov. A. D. 1849

Cor.

W. C. Spruill

James C. Reynish

David Peckhart

Nov. 19 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Nineteenth* day of *November* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty*nine* *David Reihart* a native of *Wales* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *David Reihart* a native of and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of G^t Britain &c* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain &c* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *19* day
of *Nov:* A. D. 184*9*
Cor. *H Spraul*

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David Reihart
mk

Richard Puchart

Nov. 19 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Nineteenth day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Richard Richard a native of Italy came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Richard Richard a native of and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 19 day
of Nov. A. D. 1849
Cor. H Spruell

Richard Richard
made

John Gerin

^{th Nov}
Filed 28th 1879

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 30th day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine ~~near~~ John Gerin a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Gerin a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 30th day
of Nov^r A. D. 1849
Cor. A. Spruill
Clerk

John Gerin

Petition of Evan Jenkins
to become a citizen of the
United States

Filed 21 Nov^r 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Evau Jenkins* of *Allegheny County*
in the State of Pennsylvania "
HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Wales* " and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* "
" " " " that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *Two years* " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 23rd day of October A D 1844*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*
Pleas of Allegheny County " " appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland " " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Evau Jenkins* " " " do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this
W. Spruill Clerk

Evau Jenkins

petitioner *Evau Jenkins* " " " do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Evau Jenkins* has resided in
Allegheny County, Pa. " " "

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this
W. Spruill Clerk

Thomas Davis

Petition of William Hill
for Naturalization

Beaucher
Saml Jones

Filed 25th Nov 1844

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of William Hill

of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of England and
was heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years — and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years — prior to this application,

that is to say, on 20th day of Sept 1844
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Court of Common

Plas of Allegheny County — appears ;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Queen of Great Britain &

Ireland — whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, William Hill — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland — whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 23rd Nov. 1845

William Hill

As sworn
petitioner William Hill — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said William Hill has res. 22
in Allegheny County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 23rd November

1845 As sworn
Clerk

Daniel Jones

Petition of Maryaie
Evans for Naturali-
zation

Filed Dec 3rd 1894

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Morgan Evans* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Wales* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years*
that is to say, on *fifth day of July 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court* —

appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Morgan Evans* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *3 day of Dec*
1849 *A. Spruce* Clerk

Morgan Evans
Morgan Evans

J. Smith & Davis

petitioner *Morgan Evans* — do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Evans* has resided in *Allegheny*
County —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *3rd day of Dec*
1849 *A. Spruce*

J. A. Davis

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Declaration of Intent
to become a citizen of the United States

July 5, 1897

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *H. Spraul* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
fifth ——— day of *July* ———
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
seven Morgan Evans
a native of *Wales* ——— came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *fifth* ——— **day of** *July* ——— **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty-seven ——— **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy-second ———

H. Spraul

Clerk.

Josep Pico

Yuba Dec. 5th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the fifth day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Joseph Peers a native of England came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Joseph Peers a native of England and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this fifth day
of December A. D. 1849

Cor.

Joseph Peers

John Dabell

Filed December 11 1879.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

John Walzell

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

Ireland

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

John Walzell

the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland,

whereof I was heretofore a subject

John Walzell

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this 11th day of December
A. D. 1849

I,

George Junston of Pittsburgh

do swear that

John Walzell

the petitioner above named,

has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

11th day of December

Anno Domini 1849

George Junston

George Kennedy

Tues December 13 1849

V.D. 171

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *George Kennedy*
of *Belmont* Humbly sheweth, That your petitioner is a
native of *Queen of Great B. & Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *ninth* day of *October*
A. D., 18*47* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Clerk of the Circuit Court of the U. S. W. D. of Pa.* appears; that he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *George Kennedy* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *13th* day of *December* A. D. 184*9* }

George Kennedy

I, *John Swain* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *George Kennedy* resides in *Allegheny County* all of which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *13th* day of *December* A. D. 184*9* }

John Swain
mark

STATE ATTORNEY
J. H. HARRIS

THE STATE OF NEW YORK

IN SENATE, JANUARY 18, 1894.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE.

Oct. 9th 1894

Certificate of Deed
of George Kennedy

George Kennedy, of the County of New York, State of New York, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original of the same as the same is now on file in the office of the County Clerk of the County of New York.

Witness my hand and the seal of the County of New York, this 18th day of January, 1894.

Attest:
J. H. Harris, County Clerk.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, Henry S. Spaul Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
Ninth day of October
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
seven George Kennedy
a native of Ireland came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

**In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this Ninth day of October A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and forty-seven and of the Indepen-
dence of the United States the seventy-**

H. S. Spaul

Clerk.

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December 24 1869

John

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 24th day of December in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-

9
Thomas Hughes a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Thomas Hughes* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this 24th
day of December A. D. 1849.

COR.

Thomas Hughes
his
mark

Declaration of Intention
of
William Snodsey

Filed Dec 24th 1879

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 24th day of Dec^r in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine, William Lindsey a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I William Lindsey a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 24th day
of Dec^r A. D. 1849
Cor. H. Grove

William Lindsey

Declaration of Intention
Robert Wood

Filed December 21st 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 24th day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine Robert Wood a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Robert Wood a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 24th day
of December A. D. 1849

Cor.

H Sprail
Clerk

Robert Wood

Evan Hughes

Filed Dec 28th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the twenty sixth day of December in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine ~~even~~ Hughes
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Evan Hughes a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the ~~the~~ Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this twenty sixth day
of December A. D. 1849 } Evan Hughes

Cor.

H. Sprout
Clerk

William Richard,

Filed Dec 26th 1849

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the ~~two~~ ^{twenty} sixth day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine William Richard a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I William Richard a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the ~~King of Great Britain & Ireland~~ do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 26th day
of December A. D. 1849

Cor.

H. Sprague
Clerk

Wm Richard
mark

William McIndoe

Frida December 29 1819.

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } SS.

To the Honorable Judge of the District Court of the United States, in and for said District:

The petition of *William McBride*
of _____ HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a
native of *Ireland* and was heretofore a subject of the
Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America Five years, and within the State of Pennsylvania one year; and that he

has prior to his application, that is to say, on the *first* day of *November*
A. D., 18 *47* your Petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United
States, in the manner required by law, as in and by the certificate of the *Prothonotary*
of Allegheny County Pennsylvania appears; that he will
support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce
and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate and sovereignty
whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your Petitioner therefore prays that he may be admitted
to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *William McBride* do swear, that the facts set forth in this my
petition are true, and that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Britain & Ireland of which I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *29* day of *December* A. D. 184*9* }

William McBride

I, *Daniel Crilly* do swear, that the Petitioner has resided
within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States of America, Five years, and
within the State of Pennsylvania one year,—that is to say, he the said *William*
McBride resides in *Allegheny County Pa.*
which places are within and under the Constitution of the United States, and that during his
residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character, attached
to the principles of the Constitution, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the
same.

Sworn and Subscribed in open Court,
this *29* day of *December* A. D. 184*9* }

Daniel Crilly

1847

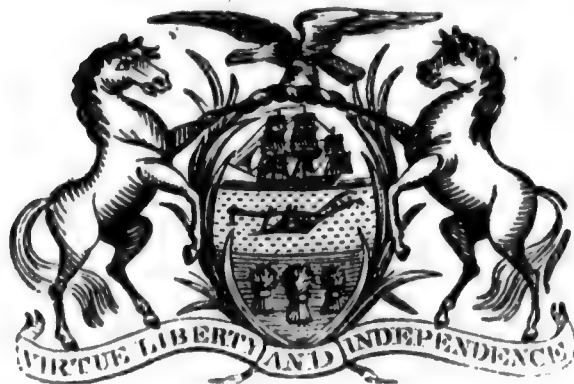
William, M. Bird

Genl. of Div. of Antiquities

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }
I, } *Adrian Dulz* **Sct.**



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *first*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord, one thousand
eight hundred and *seventy seven* *William McBride*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Sworn of Great Britain & Ireland
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever. and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this
day of *November* Anno Domini 18*77* and of
the Independence of the United States, the *72*

Adrian Dulz **PROTHONOTARY.**

TO THE HONORABLE THE JUDGE OF THE COURT

FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

The following

has been filed for record

Deft
The following is a copy of the original of the same as filed for record in the District of Delaware in the case of *Deft* vs. *Plaintiff* and has been filed for record in the District of Delaware in the case of *Deft* vs. *Plaintiff*

Filed December 31st 1849

The following is a copy of the original of the same as filed for record in the District of Delaware in the case of *Deft* vs. *Plaintiff* and has been filed for record in the District of Delaware in the case of *Deft* vs. *Plaintiff*

TO THE HONORABLE, THE JUDGE OF THE COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA.

The Petition of

Isiah B. Robbs

Respectfully sheweth that your petitioner is an alien, a native of

England

and has resided in the United States three years previous to his arriving at the age of twenty-one years, and has continued to reside therein to the time of making this application, and that he is now twenty one years of age and upwards. He therefore prays your honors to admit him to become a citizen of the United States of America, agreeably to the Act of Congress passed the 24th of May, A. D. 1824, and he will ever pray, &c.

I,

Isiah B. Robbs the petitioner above named,

do swear the facts set forth in this my petition are true; that for upwards of three years it has been *bona fide* my intention to become a citizen of the United States, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever, all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the

Queen of Great Britain

whereof I was heretofore a subject

Isiah B. Robbs

Sworn and subscribed in open Court,
this *31st* day of *December*
A. D. 184 *9*

I,

James Irwin of *Pittsburgh*
do swear that *Isiah B. Robbs* the petitioner above named,
has resided within the United States of America for upwards of five years last past, that he is a man of good moral character, attached to the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same, and that to the best of deponent's knowledge and belief, it has been for three years next preceding this application, the intention of the petitioner to become a citizen of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed, this

31st day of *December*

Anno Domini 184 *9*

James Irwin

John Jones

Gleda July 2nd 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Second day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty John Jones
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Jones a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great
Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 2nd day
of January A. D. 1850
Cor. A. Sprule
clerk

John Jones

Feb 2nd 1850

Completed

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the second day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty John Thomas
a native of Norles came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Thomas a native of Norles and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 2nd day
of Jan^y A. D. 1850
Cor.

W. Spruel
Clerk

John Thomas
made

Henry Westhoff

Idea July 2nd 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventeen day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty eighty Henry Westhoff a native of Germany came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Henry Westhoff a native of Germany and heretofore a subject of the King of Prussia do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the King of Prussia whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 2nd day
of January A. D. 1850
Cor. H. Spruce

H. Westhoff

James Wilson

Filed Jan'y 2^d 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *January* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ *fifty*

James Wilson a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *James Wilson* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*
day of *Jan'y* A. D. 18*55*
COR.

James Wilson

James Lindsey

Filed Jan^y 2nd 1850
To Dec^r 24th "

in the year of

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *second* day of *January* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ *fifty*

James Lindsay a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *James Lindsay* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *2nd*
day of *Jan* A. D. 18*50*
COR.

James Lindsay

Peter Whittain

Filed Jan 3rd 1880

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *thirteenth* day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~four~~ *fifty* *Peter Britten* a native of *England* came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

Peter Britten a native of *England* and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *3rd* day
of *January* A. D. 1850
Cor. *A Spruce*
clerk

Peter Britten

John Roberts

Feb 3rd 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ seventy, John Roberts a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I John Roberts a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.




Sworn and subscribed this 3rd day
of January A. D. 1850
Cor. W. Sprue
Clerk

John Roberts
made

Alexander Wilson

Jan'y 4th 1850

} sct.

our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty  a native of 
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided, as follows: 

a native of *Ireland*

Sworn and Subscribed this 29 }
day of Jan. A. D. 1850 } Alexander Nelson
COR.

Enoch Davis

Filed Jan 7th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Second day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty, Enoch Davis
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Enoch Davis a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 4th day
of January A. D. 1850
Cor. H. Sproule

his
Enoch Davis
Wales

Thos Davis

Filed 7 Aug 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty Thomas Davis
a native of Wales " came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Thos Davis a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Gt Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Gt Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day
of Jan^y A.D. 1850
Cor. Aspenb
ble

Thos Davis
Make

Plot of Contingent Curves
for Naturalization

Feb 4 Jan 4 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Cartright Graves* — of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *England* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 1st day of November 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common*

Plays of Allegheny Co Pa appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Cartright Graves* — do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of*
Aug 1850 *A. Sprague*
clerk

Cartright Graves do swear, that the
petitioner *Cartright Graves* — has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Graves has resided in Allegheny*

County Pa —

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Aug*
1850 *A. Sprague*
clerk

His
Thos. Mayley
Mark

1847

Cartwrights Greaves

Cart. & Dr. & Subst. Item

Nov. 1 1847

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The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, }
ALLEGHENY COUNTY, }

Sct.

I,



Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do

by these presents certify, that on *Monday* the *1st*
day of *November* in the year of our Lord one thousand

eight hundred and *forty seven*, *last night* *before*
a native of *England* and heretofore a subject of the

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland came before me, and having
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and

fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *1st*
day of *November* Anno Domini 18*47* and
of the Independence of the United States the *72*

William Schulz PROTHONOTARY.

Sam P Enon

Feb 4 1858

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty five
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Thos. L. Enon a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland; whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day

of January A. D. 1850

Cor.

Wm. Sprout
Clerk

Thos
Enon
Wales

Petition of Daniel Henry
for Naturalization

Witness Mark M. Kellogg

Filed Jan'y 4th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Daniel Henry* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Ireland* " " " and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland* " "
that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* " " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* " " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 23rd day of December 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Common
Pleas of Allegheny County Pa* appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
" " " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Daniel Henry* " " do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and Ireland*
" " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Jan'y 1850*
H. Spruel, Clerk

Daniel Henry

John McKelvey do swear, that the
petitioner *Daniel Henry* " " has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Daniel Henry* has resided in
Allegheny County " " " "

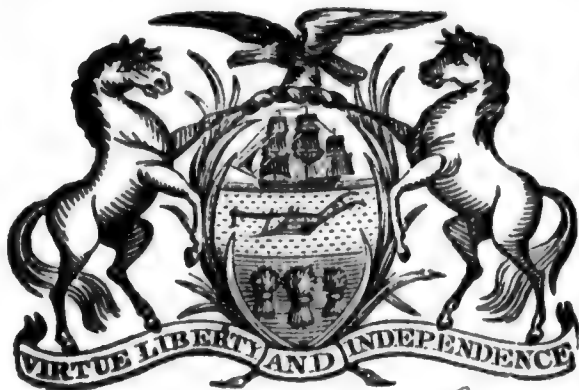
all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of Jan'y 1850*

H. Spruel, Clerk

Michael McKelvey

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania,)
Sct.
ALLEGHENY COUNTY,



I, *Wm Mully*
Prothonotary of the *Court of Common Pleas* of
Allegheny County, in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, do
by these presents certify, that on *Thursday* the *23*
day of *September* in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and *forty seven*

a native of *Ireland*

and heretofore a subject of the
came before me, and having

Queen of Great Britain & Ireland
been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration stating that it was *bona fide* his inten-
tion to become a citizen of the United States, and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and
fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty
whatever, and particularly renouncing and abjuring all allegiance
and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
whereof he was a former subject.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Pittsburgh, this *23*
day of *September* Anno Domini 18*47* and
of the Independence of the United States the *72*

Wm Mully PROTHONOTARY.

Daniel Jones

Filed July 2nd 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of January in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty^{five} Daniel Jones
a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Daniel Jones a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day
of January A. D. 1850
Cor. W. Spruill

his
Daniel Jones
Wells

Petition of W^m Jones for
Naturalization —

Vouches
Evan Jenkins

Filed July 7th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *William Jones* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Wales* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* "
" " " that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* " and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* " prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the fifth day of October 1847* "
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of *the Allegheny County*
Maryland " " " appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland " " whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *William Jones* " " do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland " " whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this / }

W. William Jones

petitioner *William Jones* " " do swear, that the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *William Jones* has resided in
Allegheny County Maryland and in Allegheny County Pa
" " " "

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this / }

his
Edward Jenkins
Notary

William Jones

Appreciation

October 5th 1821

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd inst. in relation to the purchase of the land for the purpose of building a school house for the use of the colored people of this city.

I am very glad to hear that you are so interested in the welfare of the colored people, and I am sure that your efforts will be successful in obtaining the land for the school house.

I have no objection to your purchasing the land for the school house, and I am sure that the colored people will be very grateful to you for your kind and generous assistance.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
Wm. Jones

Wm. Jones
Secretary of the
Colored People's Association

100 N. 3rd St.
Philadelphia, Pa.

STATE OF MARYLAND, Allegany County, set.

Be it remembered, That on this *fifth* day of *April* in the year eighteen hundred and forty ~~seven~~ *William Jones* a Native of *Wales* appears in the Clerk's Office, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from *Wales* in the year of *1844* the place of his nativity; that he is about *30* years of age, and that he intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland. At the same time said *William Jones* makes oath on the Holy Evangelry of Almighty GOD, that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America; and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to every foreign prince, potentate or State Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to *The Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

MARYLAND, Allegany County, to wit:

I, Henry Bruce, Clerk of Allegany County Court, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is truly taken from the Records of my Office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my name and affixed my seal of Office, this *fifth* day

October

1844

Henry Bruce Clerk

Of Allegany County Court, Md.

Mr Jones

Filed th Jan 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Seventh day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ forty, William Jones a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Wm Jones a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day
of January A. D. 1850
Cor. A Spruce
Clerk

his
Wm Jones
Mark

David Owens

Filed Jan 7th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the seventh day of July in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, David Owens
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, David Owens, native of and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 7th day


of July A. D. 1850

Cor.

H Sprague
Clerk

His
David Owens
Mark

Queen of Queens

Filed Jan 7th 1850


UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the *Seventh* day of *January* in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty.....
a native of *Wales*..... came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I *Owen W. Owens*..... a native of *Wales*..... and heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland* do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*..... whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this *7th* day
of *Jan'y* A. D. 18*40*.
Cor.

Owen W. Owens

W. Spruill
Clerk

Titelion of Philip Lyberty
for valmelyt one

Vaucher
~~Friedrich Ludenstruck~~
Jacob. Wall

John Samy 7th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, }

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of Philip Seuferty of Allegheny County

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of Germany and
was heretofore a subject of the Grand Duke of Hesse Darmstadt

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America five years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that two years prior to this application,

that is to say, on the 16th day of August 1844
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the Quarter Sessions
of Allegheny Co appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the Grand Duke of Hesse Darmstadt
whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, Philip Seuferty do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Grand Duke of Hesse Darmstadt
whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 1st day of January 1850

Wm Spruill Clerk

Philip Seuferty

Joshua Mall

petitioner Philip Seuferty has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America five years and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said Philip has resided in Allegheny
County

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this 7th day of January 1850

Wm Spruill
Clerk

Joshua Mall

Philip Liebfritz

Declaration Certificate.

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Allegheny County, }
STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, } **Scl.**

I, *Samuel Harley* Clerk of the
Court of General Quarter Sessions of the Peace
in and for the County of Allegheny, in the Com-
monwealth of Pennsylvania, do by these presents cer-
tify, that on *Friday* the *16th* day of *August*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *Forty Four* personally came before me,

Philip Liebschutz a native of *Germany*
and heretofore a subject of the *Grand Duke of Meissen Karmstadt*
and having been duly sworn according to law, made his declaration, stating,
that it was bona fide his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
and renouncing and abjuring all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince,
potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly renouncing and ab-
juring all allegiance and fidelity to the *Grand Duke of Meissen Karmstadt*
whereof he was a former subject.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of
Pittsburgh, this *16th* day of *August* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and *forty four* and of the Independence of the United States, the *Sixty Eighth*

ATTEST

Samuel Harley Clerk.

Benjamin Lewis
Petition for Naturaliza-
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Filed Jan'y 7th 1850

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UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss. 1

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Benjamin Lewis* of *Allegheny*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Wales* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five* years and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *five* years prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 20th day of October 1844*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Court of Allegheny*
County Maryland appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

Benjamin Lewis do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of July 1844*
A. Spraul, Clerk

Benjamin Lewis

John Fellow do swear, that the
petitioner *Benjamin Lewis* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Lewis resided in Allegheny*
County Pa.

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of July 1844*
A. Spraul, Clerk

John Fellow

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MARYLAND, Allegany county, to wit:

AT A COUNTY COURT, of the Fifth Judicial District of Maryland, composed of the Counties of Frederick, Washington and Allegany, begun and held at the Court-house in the Town of Cumberland, in and for Allegany county aforesaid, on the *second* Monday of *October* and *fourteenth* day of the same month, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty four* were present:

The Honorable

R. H. Marshall

Associate Judge.

Norman D. Smith Sheriff, and *Aza Pratt* Clerk.

At which said Court, amongst others, were the following Proceedings, to wit:

Be it Remembered, That on this *twentieth* day of *October* in the year eighteen hundred and *forty four* *Benjamin Lewis* a Native of *Wales*

appeared in open Court, and makes the following Report to the Clerk of Allegany County Court:—

That he arrived in the United States of America from *Wales* the place of his nativity; that he is about *23*.

years of age, and intends to settle in Allegany county, Maryland.

At the same time, the said *Benjamin Lewis* makes oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God, that it is *bona fide* his intention to become a Citizen of the United States of America, and that he doth renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to

The Queen of Great Britain and Ireland to whom he was formerly a subject

MARYLAND, Allegany county, to wit:

I, *Aza Pratt* Clerk of Allegany county Court, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is truly taken from the Record of proceedings of Allegany county Court, in the State of Maryland.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my name and affixed my Seal of Office, this *22nd* day of *October* 1844

Aza Pratt Clerk of Allegany county Court, Md.

Y. L. Woolley
Petition for Naturaliza-
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Filed January 7th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *Thomas Nozley* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Male* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,
that is to say, on *the 11th Sept 1847*

your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of this *Court*

appears ;
That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland* whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *Thomas Nozley* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain
& Ireland* whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of January*
1850 *H. Spraul Clerk*

Thos Nozley
Male

J. Evan Jenkins do swear, that the
petitioner *Thos Nozley* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five years*, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *Thos Nozley*

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *7th day of January*
1850 *H. Spraul Clerk*

J. Evan Jenkins
Male

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } set.

At Pittsburgh, on the *twelfth* day of *January* in the year of
our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty*-

Robert Cochran a native of *Ireland*
came before the Clerk of the District Court of the United States for said District, and
made the following declaration of his intention to become a citizen of the United States,
in such cases made and provided as follows:

I, *Robert Cochran* a native of *Ireland*
and heretofore a subject of the queen of Great Britain and Ireland, do swear that it is bona
fide my intention to become a citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure for-
ever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty what-
ever; and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the
queen of Great Britain and Ireland, whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and Subscribed this *12th*
day of *January* A. D. 18*67* } *Robert Cochran*
COR.

John Cawood —

Jan'y 21st 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Twenty first day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty five John Coward a native of England came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, John Coward a native of England and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 21 day
of January A. D. 1850
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John Coward

Petition of David Matthews
for Naturalization

Vouches
Evan Jenkins

Given July 4th - 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

To the Honorable the Judges of the Circuit Court of the
United States, in and for the district aforesaid.

THE Petition of *David Watkins* of *Allegheny County*

HUMBLY SHEWETH, That your petitioner is a native of *Wales* and
was heretofore a subject of the *Queen of Great Britain & Ireland*

that he has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction
of the United States of America *five years* and within the State of
Pennsylvania one year, and that *two years* prior to this application,

that is to say, on *the 6th day of September A.D. 1847*
your petitioner declared his intention of becoming a citizen of the United States, in the manner
required by law, as in and by the certificate of the then Clerk of the *Circuit Court of*
the United States appears;

That he will support the Constitution of the United States, and that he doth absolutely and
entirely renounce and forever abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate
and sovereignty, whatever, and particularly to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof he was heretofore a subject. Your petitioner therefore
prays that he may be admitted to become a citizen of the United States of America.

I, *David Watkins* do swear that the facts set forth in this
my petition are true, and that I will support the constitution of the United States, and that I do
absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign
prince, potentate and sovereignty whatever, and particularly do absolutely and entirely renounce
and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the *Queen of Great Britain and*
Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of July 1850*
H. Spauld

David Watkins

do swear, that the
petitioner *David Watkins* has resided within the limits and under the
jurisdiction of the United States of America *five* years, and within the State of Penn-
sylvania one year; that is to say, he, the said *David has resided in Allegheny*
County Pa.

all of which places are within and under the constitution of the United States—and that during
his residence within the United States, he has behaved as a man of good moral character,
attached to the constitution of the United States and well disposed to the good order and hap-
piness of the same.

Sworn and subscribed in open
Court, this *4th day of July 1850*

H. Spauld
(Clerk)

his
David Watkins
Mark

Declaration of Intent
of David
Mallory to become
a citizen of the U.S.

Sept 6th 1844

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
County of Santa Clara
I, the undersigned, do hereby certify

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } ss.

I, *Henry Spraul* Clerk of the Circuit Court
of the United States for the Western District
of Pennsylvania, do hereby Certify, that on the
sixth day of *September*
A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-
seven David Watkins
a native of *Mass* came

before the Clerk of the said Court, and declared his intention,
bona fide, of becoming a Citizen of the United States, and also
his intention to renounce and forever abjure all allegiance to any
foreign prince or potentate, particularly to renounce and abjure
forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain
and Ireland, whereof he was heretofore a subject.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of the said Court, at the City of Pitts-
burgh, this *sixth* **day of** *September* **A. D. one**
thousand eight hundred and forty- *seven* **and of the Indepen-**
dence of the United States the seventy- *second*

H. Spraul Clerk.

Mrs M^cWhimney

Feb 5th - Feb 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 5th day of February in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty Wm M. Whimery
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

William M. Whimery a native of Ireland and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain / Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Gr.
Britain / Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 5th day
of February A. D. 1850

Cor.

A. Sproul

William Whimery

My dear Simpson

Filed Feb 6th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the Sixth day of February in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty, Alfred Simpson
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I, Alfred Simpson a native of Ireland and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of February A.D. 1850
Cor. A. Spivey
Clerk

Alfred Simpson

Y^{me} Wilson

Tell a July 6th 1880

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the seventh day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty William Wilson a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I William Wilson a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 6th day
of February A. D. 1850
Cor. A. Sproule
Clk

William Wilson

Reese Davis

Filed Feb 14th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty Reese Davis a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Reese Davis a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of February A. D. 1850
Cor. H. Sprule
Clerk

Reese Davis
Mark

William Griffiths

Filed 14th Feby
1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the ~~fourteenth~~ day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty William Griffith a native of Wales came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I William Griffith a native of Wales and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of February A. D. 1850
Cor. A. Sprule
clerk

William Griffith

Edwin Hutcherson

Feb 14th - 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 14th day of February in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ fifty, Edw. Hutchison
a native of Moile came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Edw. Hutchison a native of Moile and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of July A. D. 1880

Cor.

A. Spruce
clerk

Edw. Hutchison
made

John Hutchison

Gilead Feb 14th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 14th day of February in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~four~~ fifty Wm. Hutchison
a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

J. A. Hutchison a native of Ireland and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain & Ireland do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain & Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of Feb A. D. 1850
Cor. A. Sprule
Clk

His
Wm. Hutchison
Wm

Thos M' Morris

Filed 14 February
1850 7

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~four~~ fifty, Thomas M. Manis a native of Ireland came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Thos M. Manis a native of Ireland and heretofore a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c do swear, that it is my bona fide intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of Great Britain &c Ireland whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of February A. D. 1850
Cor. A. Sproul
Clk

Thomas M. Manis

Samuel Palmer

Filed Feb 14th
1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 14th day of July in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and ~~forty~~ seventy Samuel Palmer
a native of Great Britain came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

I Samuel Palmer a native of England and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain &c. do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain &c. whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of February A. D. 1850.
Cor. A. Spruce

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Sam^l Palmer
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John Williams

Filed February 14th 1850

UNITED STATES,
Western District of Pennsylvania, } sct.

At Pittsburgh, on the 14th day of February in the year of
our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty fifth, John Williams
a native of John Williams came before the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the
United States for said District, and made the following declaration of his intention to become
a Citizen of the United States in such cases made and provided, as follows:

John Williams a native of Wales and heretofore
a subject of the Queen of Great Britain do swear, that it is my bona fide
intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce and abjure forever all
allegiance and fidelity to any foreign prince, potentate, state or sovereignty whatever, and
particularly to renounce and abjure forever all allegiance and fidelity to the Queen of
Great Britain whereof I was heretofore a subject.

Sworn and subscribed this 14th day
of February A. D. 1850

Cor.

A. Spruel
14th

John Williams
Mark